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METZ.

Negotiations for Surrender—Bazaine's Terms—What the French Say of it.

LONDON, Oct. 21.—The special correspondent of the Tribune before Metz telegraphs, today: "The negotiations for the surrender of Metz have failed, and the envoy has returned to the beleaguered town. Gen. BAZAINE proposed to surrender all of his own army on the same terms as the surrender at Sedan, except that the regular garrison of Metz should continue to hold the fortress, thus releasing at least half of the investing army. Gen. VON MOLTKE refused these terms, because a reduced garrison could not hold out longer. An entire surrender is expected early.

TOURS, Oct. 20—Evening.—It is positively contradicted by the French Government that BOURBAKI's mission to the Prussian King related to the capitulation of BAZAINE, and it is now stated that his object was to urge permission to remove the women, children and invalids from Metz for the sake of humanity, which request was positively refused.

OTHER STATEMENTS.

LONDON, Oct. 21.—The Manchester Examiner has a report from Berlin, which needs confirmation, that BAZAINE has offered to sell Metz for the Regency with the Prince Imperial.

VERSAILLES, Oct. 21.—A journal published by the Germans here confirms the report that Gen. BOURBAKI's visit to King WILLIAM was to treat for the surrender of Metz.

THE ARMY OF THE LOIRE.

Contradictory Reports—Tours Believed Not to be Menaced.

TOURS, Oct. 21.—Contradictory rumors are flying about concerning the movements of the hostile armies on the Loire, but the general impression is that the Prussians are no longer coming this way, and that a large force of the enemy is marching on Normandy, where there are fewer troops to oppose them. The French Army of the Loire in camp is improving daily. The officers are extremely rigorous in enforcing discipline, and numbers of the soldiers have been shot for disobedience of orders. The men are now in fine condition and spirits.

DESULTORY OPERATIONS.

French scouts near Blois have taken a number of Uhlans prisoners. A band of France-Tireurs brought into Nemours eight Hussars, captured out of a foraging party, the rest of whom, with their officers, were killed. The Government here has appropriated 100,000 francs to repair the buildings of Chateaudun and as a testimonial of its heroic defense.

LONDON, Oct. 21.—A Prussian attack on Bourges is probable, as that city has a large arsenal and several foundries.

THE LATEST DISPATCHES.

TOURS, Oct. 21—Evening.—Nothing official is published from the Army of the Loire, and we are kept equally in the dark as to the march of the Prussians. There is a rumor that the French have attacked Orleans, where the enemy, it is said, have left a garrison, not strong in numbers, but well supplied with artillery. The journals here have been urging the Government to make a serious effort to recapture the city.

PREPARATIONS TO MOVE SOUTH.

Preparation have been completed for the removal of the Governmental Departments South at a moments notice. The papers, books and correspondence are kept packed, with the exception of such as are required for immediate use, and a strong force of mounted guards are ready at all hours to start, acting as an escort.

EVACUATION OF MEUNG AND BEAUGENCY.

LONDON, Oct. 21.—The Prussians had evacuated Meung and Beaugency. The people were subscribing freely for the defense of the capitol. The enthusiasm had not abated.

SIEGE OF PARIS.

Particulars of the Sortie at Bagnolet—Bravery—Activity of the Garrison.

ROCROY, Oct. 20.—DUBOST, the delegate from Paris to Tours, who landed near this town in a balloon, barely escaped falling within the Prussian lines. He gives further particulars of the last fight near Paris, of which he says he was informed by Admiral MOROQUIZ just as he was about to ascend at Paris. The engagement took place on the 17th and was resumed on the 18th. The Prussians in force, on the evening of the 17th, attacked the redoubt of HautesBruyères, near Issy, and were repulsed. With redoubled forces they renewed the attack at 1 o'clock the next morning, but after a three hours struggle were repulsed. M. DUBOST says again as all the recent conflicts around Paris the French have had the best of it. The activity of the citizens was prodigious. Paris was making twenty-five *mitrailleuses* per week, 2,000,000 of cartridges daily, and cannon and mitrailleuse in proportion.

A Fierce Storm—A Summons Before the Bombardment Preliminary—Foreign Representatives—Who Deserved St. Cloud—The French Shelling Meudon.

LONDON, Oct. 21.—A violent storm passed over the seat of war around Paris last night. It is believed that a formal summons to surrender will precede the bombardment of Paris.

FOREIGN REPRESENTATIVES.

It is said that COUNT VON BISMARCK has required the foreign Ministers at Paris to communicate with their Governments only by open dispatches.

TOURS, Oct. 21.—The Papal Nuncio and the Columbian Minister are unable to leave owing to the refusal of the Prussians to permit any passage through the lines. VICTOR HUGO has declined the request of the Government to "stimulate the provinces."

ST. CLOUD FIRED BY THE PRUSSIANS.

It is positively asserted here that the Prussians fired the chateau of St. Cloud to conceal their depredations. The citizens of St. Cloud charge that all the valuables in the palace had disappeared before the fire broke out.

THE FRENCH SHELLING MEUDON.

VERSAILLES, Oct. 20, via LONDON, 21.—All last night the Parisians kept up a steady fire on the Prussian outposts. The latter, well protected, suffered by losses. Severe measures are proclaimed against foreigners found in arms on the French side. The French are shelling Meudon.

THE DEFENSES.

Paris is now in a state of siege. The French have retaken positions at Vitry, Villejuif, Cachan, Issy, Suresnes, Puteaux, Courbevoie, Asnieres, Tierrefette, Stains, La Cour Neuve, Fontenay and Nogent-sur-Marne, and hold also the bridge of Joinville and the Island of Genevilliers. The forts are armed with 2,140 guns, manned by 12,000 men. In the magazines there are three million kilogrammes of powder, and each gun has a supply of 100 balls. The manufacture of rifled cannon, mitrailleuses, Chassepots, cartridges, and other munitions, continues with great activity, and the supply of provisions is ample.

The authorities of Paris have suppressed the female military organizations which were forming.

OPERATIONS IN THE NORTH.

Defense of Amiens—Bourbaki at Besançon—Sentiment at Quentin Denounced by a Prussian Paper.

LONDON, Oct. 21.—The Department of Somme has been declared in a state of siege, and energetic preparations have been made at Amiens, the capital, for defense. A force of 20,000 Prussians which was advancing on the city has returned to Breteuil.

ROUEN, Oct. 20.—Gen. BOURBAKI and staff passed through the city today on their way to Lille. A body of the enemy has crossed the Seine and marched in the direction of Magny. The Normans are eager for a fight. Gen. BRIANT is in command of the troops.

SUEZ.

VERSAILLES, Oct. 20.—The Prussian Commandant of Stenay was forced to retire from the town on the 11th by a sortie from Montmédy.

ARMS FROM ENGLAND.

The Siècle says 700 chests of arms have been received at Cherbourg from England.

LILLE, Oct. 21.—M. TESTELIN, Commissioner from Paris to the Northern Provinces, has resigned.

ST. QUENTIN AGAIN ATTACKED.

ST. QUENTIN, Oct. 21.—A force of 5,000 men under the Grand Duke of MECKLENBURG, with twelve guns, is marching on the town.

THE COAST.

LONDON, Oct. 21.—A French squadron was seen off Heligoland, Tuesday evening, from Cuxhaven. The Frenchmen were steering westward. A Hamburg dispatch of today's date reports that nothing has since been seen of them.

BITCHE INVESTED.

DONDON, Oct. 2.—Bitsche was yesterday invested by 8,000 men, with heavy guns from Strasbourg. The siege will be pushed.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The German Ambassador at London Not Recalled—Sherrard in Hungary—Keratry's Mission to Spain.

LONDON, Oct. 21.—Count BERNSTORFF, the Prussian Minister, has not been recalled from England.

BRUSSELS, Oct. 21.—Gen. SHERIDAN, of the United States Army, is in this city. The report that Marshal MCMAHON had arrived here is untrue.

INTRENCHED CAMPS.

TOURS, Oct. 21.—It is stated that leading military Engineers are to form a series of entrenched camps in which new troops will be drilled and formed into *corps d'armée*. Even the National Guards will be obliged to pass a certain time in these camps.

DIPLOMATIC MISSIONS.

M. THIERS has arrived again at Tours.

MADRID, Oct. 21.—The object of M. KERATRY's visit to this city is variously stated. He has made no official announcement of his mission to the Government. The impression is that he seeks an offensive and defensive alliance by representing that Italy will join France if Spain does. Should this be his purpose, he will certainly fail.

A GERMAN STEAMER.

EDINBURGH, Oct. 21.—The German steamer *Westphalia*, of the Hamburg American line, is still at Leith, awaiting orders.

Traitors to be Punished—Keratry Recalled from Madrid—Condition of Lyons—A British Legion.

TOURS, Oct. 21.—GAMBETTA urges the strongest arbitrary measures against the disaffected political persons who are agitating Lyons, Rouen, Tours and other places, and says that at the present time such persons are dangerous enemies and traitors to the country, and should be treated as such. Other members of the Government are more timid, and fear compromising republican principles. M. KERATRY, recalled from Madrid, arrived here today. The newspapers say he is to have an important military command. M. KERATRY did some brilliant service in Mexico while in command of forces organized to oppose the guerillas.

AMERICAN VOLUNTEERS.

A number of volunteers from the United States, who arrived by the steamer *Ville de Paris*, received today their arms and uniforms. They are to be employed as France-Tireurs to operate in the rear of the Prussian armies.

DEFENSE OF LYONS.

LYONS, Oct. 20.—Orders have been issued to supply this city with provisions for 75,000 men for two months. The troops in the rural districts are ready to march, and are waiting for orders to proceed to Lyons.

A BRITISH LEGION.

LONDON, Oct. 21.—A letter from Havre reports that a British legion is forming for the assistance of France.

OBITUARY.

Michael William Balfe.

MICHAEL WILLIAM BALFE is dead. He was born in Dublin in 1808. At an early age his inclination toward a musician's career was displayed, and, having shown a great fitness for it, he received instruction from his father, from G. E. HOHN, a well-known composer, and from the bandmaster of a regiment stationed at Wexford. In 1824, when in his sixteenth year, he was a violin-player at the Norwich Theatre. Afterward he proceeded to Italy, where he first became known as a composer. He appeared as a bass singer under the name of Bald, in Paris, in 1827, MALIBRAN and SONTAG being part of the company. As a tenor they he once more visited Italy, and produced his opera of Siegeba for Milan, Paris and London. In 1835 he became director of the Italian Opera in London, and in 1839 he was the unsuccessful lessee of the English Opera-house. Subsequently he assisted in numerous leading concerts, and was appointed Conductor of Music to Her Majesty's Theatre. The operas best known among the many works of the late composer are "The Bohemian Girl," "The Rose of Castile" and "The Puritan's Daughter," enjoying, however, a wide reputation. "The Daughter of M. Molle," produced at the Drury Lane Theatre, was given 100 successive nights. Beside these compositions, a list of his works includes "The Maid of Artois," in which MALIBRAN won great celebrity, and about seventeen operas, the titles of which are familiar to few readers in this country. M. BALFE's second daughter, VICTORIA, born in 1847, was a singer of distinction. She was married to Sir JOHN CRAMPTON in 1863, and, having afterward obtained a divorce from him, wedded the Duke DE FRIAS, a grandee of Spain, in 1868.

Suicide in the Street.

Considerable excitement was caused last night at a late hour, in Sixth-avenue, between Twenty-ninth and Thirtieth streets, by a young German suddenly placing a revolver to his head and firing two shots in rapid succession. He fell to the sidewalk and died in a few minutes. It was ascertained that his name was JOHN STRUMPS, and that he was a German, twenty-three years of age, who had resided in Eighth-avenue, near Fifty-fourth-street, but no further particulars could be learned. The body was removed to the Morgue to await an inquest.

GENERAL TELEGRAMS.

MARINE DISASTERS.

Wreck of the Bark William Hathaway—Probable Loss of the Steam-Ship Marion of New-York—The Florida Coast Strewn With Wrecks—Other Disasters.

NEW-ORLEANS, Oct. 21.—The steam-ship Mariscopa, Capt. HENRY, arrived here today. The Captain reports that on the 17th inst. he took Capt. DOZIER and three of the crew from the wreck of the bark William Hathaway, thirty miles north of Hillsboro Inlet. The Hathaway left New-York on Sept. 19 with an assorted cargo, for New-Orleans, and was ashore on the 11th of October. Capt. DOZIER reports that he picked up a plank marked "Marpesa loading." It is believed the steam-ship Marpesa, Capt. WILKER, hence for New-York 8th inst., with 1,875 bales of cotton, was lost. There were no passengers on either vessel. They were owned in New-York. [The Marpesa was a New-York-built steamer, from the yard of WEBB & BELL, seven years old, of 1,061 tons burden, drawing fourteen feet water.]

WRECKS ON THE FLORIDA COAST—THE MARION.

NEW-ORLEANS, Oct. 21.—Capt. HENRY, of the steamer Mariscopa, reports having passed from daylight to dark, eleven wrecks on the Florida coast, and also that he saw schooner *Pilgrom*, *Boston* and *Ida Fowler* ashore on the Florida beach, which was strewn for fifty miles with general merchandise and *débris* of wrecks. He picked up a life-jacket marked *Marpesa*.

OTHER WRECKS.

LONDON, Eng., Oct. 21.—The ship Odessa, with a cargo of petroleum from New-York, is stranded at the mouth of the Weser. Her crew has been saved.

The brig Teneriffe, from New-York, has arrived at Gibraltar. In a severe storm, she lost sails and part of her cargo.

The steam-ship Pennsylvania, hence, for New-York, put back on account of heavy weather.

BOSTON, Oct. 21.—The brig *O. B. Kelley*, of Philadelphia, from Fernandina, Fla., for Boston, put into New-Bedford Oct. 20, having, when off Block Island, carried away her mainto gallant-mast and forecast in a gale. In taking in the forecast, four seamen, all belonging to New-York, fell from the fore-yard to the deck. One of them had a leg and thigh broken. The others were seriously injured.

GENERAL EUROPEAN NEWS.

Mazzini's Movements Contested to Locarno—The British Catholics and Italy—Pomes on his Death-Bed—An English Opinion of Senator Morton.

FLORENCE, Oct. 21.—MAZZINI, the noted Republican agitator, has been ordered to remain at Locharo. Signor LAMPA, one of the members of the Ministry, has gone to Turin, to visit King VICTOR EMMANUEL, who is there at present.

LONDON, Oct. 21.—The Catholic hierarchy of Great Britain have issued a protest against the action of the Italian Government in occupying Papal territory. They call upon all good Catholics to form "prayer unions" to protest against the treatment of the Pope, and to prepare documents on the subject, which may be made the basis of an appeal to the British Parliament.... Dumas *pere*, is lying at a small town near Dieppe, insensible and dying from paralysis. His son and daughter are with him....The *Pall Mall Gazette*, referring to the appointment of Hon. O. P. MORTON, as Minister to the Court of St. James, says: "A thoroughly incompetent person is selected to represent the United States in England, and is instructed first to bully and next to threaten war. This incompetent person hesitates, probably preferring a domestic skirmish with the Democrats to a war with England."

Death of the Commander of the Liberian President in London—The Capital of Italy—Spain and Cuba—The Spanish Crown.

LONDON, Oct. 21.—M. W. BALFE, the musical composer, died today, aged sixty-two years....An address was presented to President ROYE, of Liberia, at Bridge House, London Bridge, yesterday, by a deputation headed by Mr. CAYE, M. P. The Earl of SHAFTESBURY sent a letter to Mr. ROYE, saying he had intended to be present, and apologizing for his absence. A letter was received from Mr. MORAN, the Secretary of the American Legation, also apologizing for his inability to be present on the interesting occasion. The deputation was composed of well-known public men and merchants.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 21.—The Liverpool Board of Docks have assigned the Holyhead Telegraph Line to the Government.

ROME, Oct. 20, via LONDON.—Minister SELLA assured a delegation of the citizens of Rome today, that he would appraise the King of the desire of the Romans to receive him in their city. The harmonizing of the laws of the Roman States with those of the Kingdom, he added, required time, and he had every reason to hope the work would be completed without prejudice to the institutions of Rome. The 20th of October has been fixed as the day for the entry of King VICTOR EMMANUEL into Rome. The Roman provinces are to be consolidated in one, with five prefectures.

FLORENCE, Oct. 21.—Signor SELLA, Minister of Finance, says the transfer of the capital to Rome is no longer doubtful, but it requires the sanction of Parliament.

MADRID, Oct. 19, via LONDON.—TOPETE's newspaper organ here advocates the granting of liberal reforms to Cuba immediately, and urges the Government to seek glory in that direction. PRIM, though visited by CASTELAR and others, makes no disclosure of his policy or intentions....It is reported that the candidature of the Duke of AOSTA for the throne of Spain has been definitively accepted.

Return of an Arctic Explorer—the Postal Telegraph System.

LONDON, Oct. 21.—The exploring steamer *Arctic*, from Davis Straits, has arrived at Dundee. The *Pall Mall Gazette* has an article on the Government control of the telegraphs, in which it adduces facts and figures to show that the business of telegraphing has declined since the Postal Department assumed its management. It says the estimates in the budget of the Chancellor of the Exchequer are Belied by the event. So far from realizing the profit of £120,000 predicted by Mr. LOWE from the telegraph service, the Government will be fortunate if the receipts pay the expenses.

The Pope and the Council—The Jubilee Not Suspended.

ROME, Oct. 21.—The Pope has formally suspended the session of the Ecumenical Council, on the ground that there had been a sacrilegious invasion of the territory of the Church, which might prevent the freedom of action of the Pope and the Fathers. The jubilee proclaimed in honor of the Council, however, is not suspended.

MANITOBA.

Small-Pox Raging in the West—Indians Dying by Thousands—Theirs Bodies Scattered Over the Plains.

TORONTO, Canada, Oct. 21.—Advices have reached here from Fort Garry, the 6th inst., via St. Cloud the 20th, that the small-pox is committing fearful ravages in the West; that the Indians are dying in thousands, and the plains are covered with painted corpses, and that the stench is dreadful. The Government proposes to send a medical man there. All was quiet at Fort Garry.

Destructive Fire Near Hennepin—Protection of Immigrants—Action by Western Governors.

CHICAGO, Oct. 21.—The saw-mills on the St. Anthony side of the Mississippi River, near Minneapolis, were destroyed by fire last night. The fire began at 8 o'clock, and originated from the explosion of a fluid lamp. The mills were capable of sawing 150,000 feet of lumber per day. Loss $100,000; no insurance. Three hundred men are thrown out of employment....The Governors of Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa, Nebraska, Kansas, Missouri and Michigan have united in calling a Convention to meet at Indianapolis on the 30th of November for the purpose of considering all questions pertaining to immigration and the reforms necessary at ports of debarkation and points inland, to secure to immigrants proper protection on the journey, and to propose such legislation by Congress as will best promote such ends.

THANKSGIVING.

A Suggested Day of Thanksgiving Approved by the President.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—The following proclamation has just been issued:

By the President of the United States:

A PROCLAMATION.

Whereas, It behooves a people benefited by their dependence on the Almighty, publicly and collectively, to acknowledge their gratitude for his favors and mercies, and humbly beseech for their continuance; and

Whereas, The people of the United States during the year now about to end have been special cause to be thankful for general prosperity, abundant harvests, exemption from pestilence, foreign war and civil strife;

Now, therefore, be it known that I, ULYSSES S. GRANT, President of the United States, concurring in the wishes of the Governors of the Chief Magistrates of States, do hereby recommend to all citizens to meet in their respective places of worship on Thursday, the 24th day of November next, there to give thanks for the bounty of God during the year, and to implore a continuance of such mercies.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand, and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

Done at the CITY of Washington this first day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy, and of the Independence of the United States the ninety-fifth.

(Signed) U. S. GRANT.

By the President:

HAMILTON FISH, Secretary of State.

THE BAR.

Fines vs. Cockliday—A Verdict for the Plaintiff—Fire in North Andover—A Boston Business Charter for the German Trade—Steamer Burned.

BOSTON, Oct. 21.—The jury in the famous dress-making suit of OLIVIA P. FLINT vs. ALBERT L. COOLIDGE, rendered a verdict this afternoon giving plaintiff $1,100 50....The passenger-house of the Unitarian Society in North Andover was burned this morning; loss, $4,000; insurance, $4,000....ROBERT PATTERSON, aged fifty years, was run over and killed today while walking on the track of the Fitchburg Railroad....It is reported that the steam-ship Ontario, originally built to run between Boston and Liverpool, and which has been lying idle at this port for a long time, has been chartered to run between New-York and Bremen. She will leave for New-York to-morrow.... The steam-ship *Favorite*, Capt. DAVIDSON, lying at Jackson Wharf, East Boston, was nearly destroyed by fire this evening. She was owned by Capt. DAVIDSON and others, and was fully insured. She was formerly owned in New-York.

HARTFORD, Oct. 21.—The Gilman Carriage Company's works, in Winsted, were destroyed by fire this morning. The loss to the carriage company is about $50,000; insured for $8,000 in the Springfield Company. The Gilbert Block Company also occupied part of the building for storage, &c. Loss about $10,000; no insurance. The fire is supposed to have been the work of an incendiary.

TROUBLE IN MARTINIQUE.

Effect of the Proclamation of the French Republic—A Formidable Negro Rising—An Army of Volunteers Raised and the Insurrection Quelled—The Governor's Proclamation.

By the arrival of the brig *Virginia*, Capt. JOHNSTONE, from St. Pierre, Martinique, we have direct news to the 3d inst. A serious outbreak occurred in the southern part of the island on the 23d ult. On the arrival of the news of the fall of Sedan, and the proclamation of a Republic in France, the negroes appearing to anticipate the riotous scenes of 1848, made what they considered the unjust condemnation of one of their class the pretext for a general rising. The leaders of the movement are a family, an old negro planter and his nine sons, who have already given the Government great trouble. They at once organized bands of negro insurgents, who, according to the *Official Journal*, secured the country, armed with guns, picks, pikes, sword-canes, sticks and stones, and with torches set fire to houses and mills, and causing a scene of general devastation wherever they went. As soon as the Governor, DE LOHENS, at Fort de France, received the intelligence, he appealed to the inhabitants to form volunteer corps and quell the insurrection. In response to this appeal, one hundred men immediately came forward. St. Pierre sending two hundred men. The Governor then issued a proclamation calling for volunteers, and a general response was received.

The combined forces of marines, infantry, and the brigade of Gens. LAMARTINE promptly put an end to the pillage and fire. On the 23d, the infantry and cavalry attacked the residence of AUBER MESNIL, about twelve miles from the scene of the outbreak, which had been pillaged, and was then occupied by the insurgents. After a short but sharp fight, they overcome, being eighteen killed and wounded and twenty prisoners. During the engagement Capt. M. EMILE ROMANET, a volunteer, was mortally wounded, and died a few hours after. The prisoners were secured, and handed over to be tried by Court-martial.

Some few hours after the encounter at the residence of M. MESNIL, the troops from Riviere Pilote and Sainte Esprit, together with the volunteers, surrounded La Regale, and made fifty prisoners, among whom were seven chiefs. The insurgents, finding themselves beaten at all points, became utterly demoralized and fled in all directions, many of them being captured. A large number of them endeavored to reach the English island St. Lucia, but were cut off by the steamer Senora and the schooner *Royal*, which had been placed at the disposal of the Governor, the former by the French Transatlantic Company, the latter by M. BERAIN. These vessels were armed and sent to guard the St. Lucia Channel, by which means they captured many of the insurgents.

The riot being effectually quelled, the Governor, on the 29th ult., issued the following amnesty proclamation:

AMNESTY PROCLAMATION.

Inhabitants of Martinique:

The bands of robbers who have pillaged and burned in the south of the land are dispersed. A great many prisoners have been made. Some of the chiefs have been captured; the others are wandering through the woods, and are being vigorously pursued by the people. Order has succeeded to disorder, and the law put the canal is well guarded. I hereby order the cessation of further proceedings against those who have taken part in these barbarities, and have not committed any crime. I, therefore, do hereby, and some accusations still at large, I pardon all who have been guilty of these outrages on condition that on the second notification of this proclamation shall be published. Order of war has been restored, and the trials will proceed as rapidly as possible, at the same time with all due caution that the innocent may not suffer for the guilty.

Whatever robbery may again break out or pillage be committed or armed bands be found, the military authorities will pursue the offenders as well as those who previously took part in the disturbances. The time is still ministerial, but this measure is not to affect the liberty of the citizens. It is to only when to restore tranquility.

Inhabitants of Martinique, A few days have sufficed to destroy the hopes which have not yet vanished the hut of the poor or the house of the planter. This result so happily and so quickly gained is due to the zeal and gratitude of the commandants, volunteers and all those who in quelling the disturbance, and to the inhabitants of St. Pierre and Fort de France, in the name of France and Martinique, I thank you.

Inhabitants of Martinique, It now only remains for you to return to your homes, and to continue you have required in the future this trying time. That be prove worthy of it in the future.

DE LOHENS, Governor.

The sum of 1,000 francs was offered for the arrest of EUGENE LAGRILLE, one of the ring-leaders, who has since been captured.

M. MOURAT, Commander of the Haidouans, is appointed Commander of the South.

A decree has been issued, that all suspected individuals and strangers who shall not produce proper papers will be immediately taken before the Police to prove their identity. Another decree provides that all persons found on the streets after 10½ at night, will also be taken before the Police.

Since the outbreak two hundred men have been killed, and 199 prisoners remain to be tried.

LATEST NEWS.

By way of St. Thomas the news from Martinique is to the 11th inst. The French frigate Victoire has arrived with 300 men on board, to reach the disturbances. The people are going back to their work, and confidence is being restored, but, nevertheless, the authorities are on the alert for any emergency.

WOMEN AND THE BALLOT.

Anniversary of the Woman's Suffrage Association—Speeches—Addresses by Miss Susan B. Anthony, Elizabeth Cady Stanton, Mrs. Mat. Slocum, Mrs. Gage, and Others.

The Woman's Suffrage Association held a public meeting at Apollo Hall, Broadway and Twenty-eighth-street, yesterday. Its object was to commemorate the twentieth anniversary of the founding of the female suffrage movement as a national one, and the twenty-second anniversary of the holding of the first public meeting in aid of their projected measure. The auditory was almost entirely made up of women, and on the stage there were, during the morning exercises, only two specimens of "the masculine man." Among the women present were Miss Susan B. Anthony, Mrs. Lucretia Mott, Mrs. Elizabeth Cady Stanton, Mrs. Paulina Wright Davis, Mrs. Josephine L. Griffing, Mrs. M. F. Jocelyn Gage, Rev. Mrs. Olympia Brown, and Mrs. Blake. The morning exercises were opened at 10½ o'clock, Mrs. P. W. DAVIS in the chair. Mrs. DAVIS read a report which gave a summary of the work that has been done within the past twenty years on behalf of woman suffrage, after which Mrs. GAGE made an address, showing how great were the alleged wrongs which women had to complain of as being deprived of the ballot.

Miss SUSAN B. ANTHONY then presented a series of resolutions, the substance of which is as follows:

1. Demanding the immediate adoption of the Sixteenth Amendment to the Constitution of the United States.

2. Declaring that neither race, color, nation, creed, nor any other question put in issue by political parties is an important test as to qualification of woman suffrage.

3. Thanking the Democratic Party in Utah and Wyoming for the honor so liberally bestowed upon women.

4. Declaring that it is as dangerous to human progress, when the women of a nation have been given a majority of men, as it already has been, to attempt to teach that man should bow down to the authority of Kings or Popes, as slavery or caste, and alleging, that in both cases the attempt to be made to enforce such ideas, Republican government and the Protestant religion are alike the foes of private judgment.

5. Declaring that the injunction drawn from God's word, "Wives, submit yourselves to your husbands," which is thrown in our face to prevent our obtaining suffrage and slavery, embodied in the injunction "Honor the king, and" "Servants, obey your masters."

6. That law, religion and public sentiment should unitedly declare and maintain the sole and supreme sovereignty of woman over her own person.

7. That the Democratic Convention of Kansas for declaring "that the suffrage question is in its judgment a most remarkable and timely enterprise, so long as to be justly mentioned."

Mrs. ANTHONY supported the resolutions in a spirited speech. She contended that the cause of woman suffrage should demand of all existing parties the recognition of the right of woman to the ballot; that they should hold themselves as a third party, or balance-of-power party, and give their adhesion to Republicanism or to Democracy, just as the circumstances might warrant with regard to this cardinal question. She then denounced the Republican Party as being more opposed to woman suffrage than the Democracy. The duty of women now was to continue to agitate the suffrage question. So soon as they could worry either party into adopting a suffrage plank in its platform, then they would compel the men of that party to "toot the bills" for the campaign, and that with women (who are now practically paupers) was a great consideration. Politicians were not to be trusted, however; they must be constantly watched. In the days of Anti-Slavery days HORACE GREELEY had the Tribune, and always firm Abolitionists—great friends of the negro for three years at a time; but always about one year just previous to a Presidential election HORACE GREELEY and the *Tribune* supported the Whig candidate for the Presidency, and recommended their friends to do likewise, no matter whether he were a friend of the negro or not. In Kansas, woman suffrage had a majority in its favor. The Republican State Convention would not indorse it, but the Democratic Convention did, and she hoped every friend to the cause of woman in that State would support the Democratic ticket at the coming election. She was confident that the only way in which the Republican Party could be made to support woman suffrage was to whip them into it by votes; they could not get the votes of the friends of the movement unless they stood squarely on a woman's rights platform. Several Republican Congressmen expressed themselves favorable to woman's rights individuity, but collectively they would do nothing to aid it. Even Hon. Mr. JULIAN, of Indiana, who claimed to be the champion of the movement, would only bring forward the Sixteenth Amendment at the close of the Congressional session, when he knew that no action could be taken with regard to it. She thanked presented to a prominent Republican Congressman the women present, praying for the adoption of the Sixteenth Amendment, but he never could be got to present that petition to the House. She then applied to Hon. JAMES BROOKS, of this City, a Democrat, for the same purpose, and he had the petition presented and read. She was determined to use either party in aiding forward the woman's movement; but, at the same time, she was determined that neither party should use her.

Mrs. ELIZABETH CADY STANTON offered an additional resolution, indorsing the action of the women of England in their efforts to secure the repeal of the Contagious Disease act. The attempts to repeal the Contagious Disease act in other States in our own country had been thwarted, she said, although the City of St. Louis had adopted an ordinance embodying the spirit of it. She did not believe that woman, however degraded, should be put under the ban of such a law as was embodied in the Contagious Disease act. She proceeded to give her views more at length during the evening meeting.

Mr. CROZIER, of Brooklyn, was introduced, and announced himself a convert to the woman's rights doctrine. He had not, until recently, made up his mind regarding this question, but he now believed the woman suffrage movement to embody the broadest and highest type of civilization. The time was fast approaching, he thought, when woman would enter as a factor, and not as a fraction, into our culture, our art and our politics, as well as our religion.

Rev. Mrs. OLYMPIA BROWN then delivered a brief address, after which the resolutions were adopted. A letter was then read from Mrs. EMILIE J. MESSERAN, who has just arrived from France, and who intends returning to that country, calling the sympathies of American women in behalf of Republican France. At the reading of this letter, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That having full faith in the potency of moral power in the problem of the world's peace, we, in behalf of the women of America, do constitute and constitute our sisters, Mrs. EMILIE J. MESSERAN, our peace-advocate and commissioner, to proceed with all dispatch to France to proclaim the gratitude of the sisterhood of America to WILLIAM, King of Prussia, and to JULES FAVRE, Minister of Foreign Affairs for France, and to intercede with them for peace.

At 5 o'clock the meeting adjourned till 7½ P. M.

At the evening meeting there was a large attendance of auditors, and proceedings were opened by an address from Mrs. ABIGAIL HALLETT, of Michigan, who said that the time is past when woman will, without protest, be held in subjection by man. The present inferior political position of woman is, she contended, in opposition to the fundamental principle of the American Government, which is the principle of equality. She denied that man is woman's protector. He was protected when she gets only half as much pay as a man gets when she does the same amount of work, and does it as well! Is she protected when, in her poverty, she is tempted and deceived, she is driven to prostitution? The degradation made, too, against this movement that woman is supported by man. This she denied. Where there is one rich man able to support his wife or his daughter in idleness, there are fifty poor ones, whose wives and daughters either support themselves altogether, or else help their husbands to do so. The vast majority of the wives and daughters in the land work daily. If they are supported by their husbands and fathers unasked, then let them cease to labor in future; if women are to have the entire society, then let them claim their right to it. The speaker demanded that equal educational facilities be extended to women as to men, and that they be given liberty; now they are only subjects. She would no longer advocate the system of petitioning Congress and State Legislatures to give the ballot to women. It was a right they were entitled to, and the exercise of which they ought to demand, not supplicate for. She would as soon think of petitioning a burglar to restore to her the jewels and plate that he stole from her closet during the midnight hour. In conclusion, she trusted women's cause to God, who always aided the weak, when they had justice on their side. She would not propose that the cause should be won by the sword; but if that alternative should be presented, thousands of men would take up the sword in woman's behalf, and she doubted not they would find some JOAN D'ARC to lead them to victory.

Mrs. ELIZABETH CADY STANTON followed in an address on the social relation of the sexes, the burden of which was the justice and necessity of more liberal divorce laws. When the McFarland trial was ended, she said, and the country acquitted the verdict of acquittal, she felt as if woman had received her final social emancipation. She then gave a commencement history of the sacrifice relation, and denounced the sect, namely Catholic Church, which had raised it to the dignity of a sacrament. The theory now is, as laid down, both by Moses and Mormonism, that woman was made for man, and not that they were equals. The law of God says, "Honor thy father and thy mother," and the law of the State says, in effect, "Honor thy father, and trample thy mother under thy feet." Men had invariably translated the Bible directly. If women were now allowed to try their hand we should have another and an improved version. Mrs. STANTON continued to express her disapprobation of the recent divorce in her closed address by averring that the "good time coming" would only be when woman's rights was an established fact.

The proceedings were closed with prayer by Rev. Mrs. OLYMPIA BROWN.

WEST POINT.

Opening of the Trial of the Deferred Cadet—The Charges and the Testimony—Appearance of the Court.

[From Our Special Correspondent.]

WEST POINT, N. Y., Friday, Oct. 21, 1870.

The Court-martial resumed its session at 9 o'clock this morning. Owing to the absence of one of its members, Capt. E. C. BAIRNSFATHER, an adjournment was made until noon. The notice in the Courtroom is pointed. The place of meeting is a large reflection-room on the first floor of the old Academy Building, adjoining the gymnasium. In the centre of the apartment eight small tables, arranged in two rows are placed, facing each other. At either end of these are two larger desks—the elevated slightly on a platform, the other on the floor level, all fronting a semicircle centre. On the platform is seated Gen. O. O. HOWARD, the President, and directly opposite, at the other large desk, is Major WINTHROP, the Judge-Advocate. The places of the small tables are occupied by the several members of the Court according to their rank, the highest grade beginning next to the President. At either side of the Judge-Advocate, at some distance from him are tables, at which the counsel for the accused are seated. Just without the door stands an orderly, with drummer boys as messengers. Saddled horses are also at hand, with couriers to ride to various places on the post. The witnesses are kept in an adjoining apartment under surveillance, and no communication is permitted between them. The prisoner, (so called technically, as cadet-imprisonment is merely parole within the confines of the room or other bounds,) are also isolated from each other, and necessarily formally—under guard. The accused are brought in separately, as are also the witnesses, none of them hearing the others' evidence.

THE CASE OF THE COLORED CADET.

At 10 o'clock the Court reassembled, all the members entering promptly, and at once taking their positions. After the calling of the roll by the Judge-Advocate, the President called on the case of Cadet J. W. SMITH, (colored,) who was summoned by the orderly, and entered in company with his counsel, Lieut.-Col. C. C. PARSONS. He was dressed in the usual cadet uniform of gray, with black striped pants, dress coat, bell buttons, clear-starched linen collar, white belt and gloves, and brilliantly polished boots. His hair, in natural crimps, was nicely parted, and altogether his appearance was *exceedingly* neat. With an erect carriage, and stiff motion, he proceeded to the seat assigned him. With the exception of a slight tremor in his voice, his clearly countenance wore a more rigid than calm expression, manifestly from a forced effort. As the order for his trial, and the specifications and charges were read to him, he exhibited illy-concealed agitation, but in reply to the question of the Judge-Advocate he pleaded "not guilty" to the charge and all of the specifications. These are as follows:

Charge I.—Conduct prejudicial to good order and military discipline.

Specification.—In this, that Cadet J. W. SMITH, of the United States Military Academy, did create a disturbance in camp, and did assault J. W. WILSON, of said Academy, with his dipper and fists. All this at West Point, Orange H. Thomas, West Point, N. Y., on or about the 25th day of August, 1870. Witnesses, Cadets H. M. ANDREWS, C. H. CARANISS, Jr., and E. B. ROBINSON.

Charge II.—Conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman, in violation of paragraph 127 of the United States Army regulations, Military Academy.

Specification.—In this, that Cadet J. W. SMITH, having been reported, on the 15th of August, 1870, for replying to "fall closer," in a highly insolent manner, at drill, P. M., after having been spoken to in the line of duty, did submit to the commandant a written explanation therefor, stating, "I spoke to no dipper in the drill, but Old Cadet Cornell said, 'Don't you speak to me,' during the drill, at any time;" which statement was false.

All this at West Point, N. Y., on or about the 20th day of August, 1870.

(Signed) E. UPTON, Lieut.-Col. U. S. A., Commandant of Cadets, preferring charges.

Witnesses—Cadets BELCOM, LABEE, DYER, DAVIES and A. C. TYLER.

At this point Col. PARSONS entered the objection that, as the Court had not been sworn in at all, the proceedings were invalidated. Gen. HOWARD, Major WINTHROP and Major HAYES dissented

BELEAGUERED PARIS.

The French Metropolis Left to Her Own Resources.

Popular Diversions, Demonstrations and Delusions.

Development of Hostile Sentiment Toward the Government.

STREET SCENES IN THE BESIEGED CITY.

The arrival of the Cunard steam-ship on Wednesday placed us in receipt of a large package of letters forwarded us by those of our correspondents who have elected Paris as a place of residence under the present known circumstances. Regular mail communication not having existed for some days between London and the beleaguered city, the contents of many of these special letters are unimportant in the light of fresher intelligence gotten in England and communicated by the telegraph. But from the latest letters, bearing dates up to Oct. 4, we are enabled to make liberal extracts descriptive of public sentiment in Paris, and of incidents occurring there. These we print below.

ARBITRARY ARRESTS.

The game of arbitrary arrests still goes on, and some lamentable mistakes have not taught "the people" caution. By the people, in this instance, I mean a few National Guards drawn from the Faubourg du Temple, and the mob of men from La Villette, who go about for no other purpose than to raise some sort of trouble. These arrests are growing too outrageous for sensible people, especially a people whose very existence is threatened by a powerful enemy. Everything out of the ordinary range of daily incidents is looked upon as the work of Prussian spies. The other night a house was mobbed because colored lights were seen at the windows, but on examination it was found to be only the panes of glass reflecting the light of the moon. A quiet family was disturbed by the mob because its windows corresponded with those of a house upon the qual, where signals were said to have been seen. The arrest and maltreatment of Gen. AMBERT came near producing serious consequences. The other Generals commanding divisions of the works sent in their resignations, but by some means the Government induced them to remain at their posts for the present. Of course, protection was promised to the injured officer, but as much deference had to be paid to the mob that for the moment he has to remain under the serious charges made against him. The commandant of Mont Valerien was removed, because he was found to be a connection of M. PIETRI, and he had to escape secretly to avoid being mobbed. Yet there was not a single charge against this honest and faithful officer. Day before yesterday a General officer, accompanied by his aids, was arrested and taken to the post, and yesterday three cavalry officers were paraded through the streets, under guard, to endure the insults and injuries of the populace. Every man with light hair and eyes, and particularly one who wears side whiskers, is in danger of his life, no matter what papers he may have. Capt. JOHNSON, Queen's messenger, was very badly treated, and an American was not only forced to carry stones to build a barricade, but was beaten, the women taking off their shoes to strike him in the face. The threats and the prayers of the Government do not a particle of good, and the arrests continue day and night. At No. 18 in my street, a man was arrested for a Bonapartist, and is still a prisoner. The newspapers are responsible for much of this folly. The other day one of them published a very improbable tale to the effect that, at Versailles, a regiment of Prussians had dressed themselves in the uniforms of the *gendarmerie*, and the men on the forts were warned to be on their guard. As a consequence of this folly quite a number of *gendarmes* have been shot dead. Every day we have a crowd of people falling upon some innocent victim because he speaks the language with an accent or wears too clean a shirt. Every day we have illustrations of the old saying that of all known tyrannies there is no tyranny like the tyranny of a mob.

DISORDERLY DOINGS.

One can make many allowances for popular excitements in times like these, but in all cases where a city is under martial law, the military element should be supreme, and it should have the power and the will to suppress outrages by the mob. The crowds of Paris are growing worse and worse. Every day we have "rows" which are a disgrace to the French people. Day before yesterday two officers and a trumpeter, bearing a flag of truce, came to St. Denis to make some arrangement about burying the French dead between the lines. The two officers were blindfolded, and escorted to the town. In that condition they were surrounded by the mob, which grew every moment, and from menacing became threatening and outrageous. "Death to the Prussians!" "They are only spies; kill them!" and similar cries arose on every side, and the crowd made a rush to drag them away from the soldiers. The officers were roughly handled; but a reinforcement coming up to aid the guard, they were finally marched to the head-quarters of the commandant. The crowd surrounded them there, and it was only by severe work that they were safely pushed into the house. The commandant made the best apologies that he could for this great outrage. When the business was arranged, and their eyes again blinded, they were taken out, but the crowd was in waiting, and the commandant had to send for a carriage and a regiment of men before he could secure them against the mob and protect them beyond the lines. Even the American Indians respect the man who comes with the pipe of peace, and they strictly protect the man who trusts himself to their honor for a good end. The chase after spies furnished amusement to these cruel mobs for some time, but at length it was abandoned. Next came the mania of the Prussian signals, which was pushed to a most ridiculous extent. Every house showing a light above the second story was liable to be mobbed. I was visited by the mob on Sunday night. Sitting at my table reading a newspaper, I heard the growling of the crowd in front of my house, and, looking out, saw more than a thousand people collected. They were crying "Death to the Prussian" before I really found out that I was the object of this attention. I was accused of making signals to the enemy. As I live upon the second floor, and in a street from which it is impossible to see in any direction, it was soon found ridiculous to accuse me of signaling to the enemy. *Alors* it was to another house opposite, or down the street; but this house happened to be the Institute of France. There are always wise heads to get out of such scrapes, and a *voyez* settled the trouble by giving the most probable solution. "Ah!" he cried, "He is signaling to an electric balloon." This idea was very pleasant, and a rush was made for the house. Taking my flag in one hand, I went down to face the mob. There were many threats, but no one seemed inclined to enter first. "What do you want of me?" I demanded. "The crowd wants to know who and what you are." I told them and showed my flag—that is, gave my nationality merely—but this was not considered satisfactory. Something was said which aroused my national pride, and in words more forcible than moral I told them that I was an officer, and while my house was always open to the examination of soldiers or the authorities, I would give no explanations to a mob. "Then we will make you," cried a man in blouse. "Try it," I said; "but first you that my flag is over the door, and shall defend it until your soldiers come." Some National Guards cried out, "He's right; let him the guard," and this checked the crowd until the soldiers came from the post—a Sergeant with a squad of men with fixed bayonets. I saluted the Sergeant, and handed him my protection—by no means the weakest in the world—which he read, and soon handed back to me with many apologies. "Make no excuses on my account," I said; "only this crowd disturbs the people in the house, and frightens the women terribly." "I will see to that," replied the Sergeant, saluting me, and he went out with his men to drive the crowd away from my door. The same night half a dozen other houses were visited, the families of officers of the Guard being insulted and damaged. Few came off as easily as I did, and I am convinced that the more conciliation used the worse the people were treated. Soft words neither butter parsnips nor appease a ferocious mob.

OPPOSITION TO THE GOVERNMENT.

The return of JULES FAVRE from the head-quarters of the King, with the response to his demands for peace, has greatly disturbed the political element. It is suddenly found that to be a member of the Government is no enviable thing. There is no alternative, no middle course, nothing tangible for the opposition to seize upon, and they perceive that we have arrived at a point when opposition is no longer possible. But for some time before this, bragging solution of the question by the King, the exiles were busy in devising schemes. Reunions were established in various parts of the city, and the Government was soundly abused for almost everything imaginable. At a meeting held at the Folies-Bergères, it was proposed to replace the present Government by a Committee composed of LEDRU ROLLIN, VICTOR HUGO, LOUIS BLANC and FELIX PYAT. Citizen BLANQUI was to have some important position, and MEGY, who killed the gendarme, was to be put in a post of honor. From holding these meetings at night the exiles advanced to demonstrations upon the Place de la Concorde, making use of the statue of Strasbourg to attract their audiences. Hitherto that whole regiments of the National Guard attended these meetings Gen. TROCHU issued an order against them. In several places there were meetings held to express disapprobation at the conduct of the Government. Two deputations issued from this opposition movement, one composed of a certain number of the officers of the National Guard, from the Bellville quarters, La Vallette and the Faubourg St. Antoine; the other embracing the members of the late political clubs. Delegations from these two factions went to the Government to say that "the people" were not content with its manner of governing; that "the people" did not find it revolutionary enough, and thought it "undecided and feeble." The committee, followed by "the people"—that is, a mob of about fifty—went to the Hotel de Ville to say that the people demanded that the names of M. BLANQUI and M. BLANC be added to the list of the Provisional Government. For some moments this deputation was kept waiting at the door, until at last a citizen addressed the crowd, telling them that it was derogatory to the dignity of citizens to be kept waiting in that manner, and word was sent to the Government that "the people" demanded an audience at once. This demand was accompanied by a menace. The Government was told that it was the people who made the revolution and put them in power, and that the same people could turn them out and put others in their places. The members of the Government pursued a conciliatory course. They embraced the delegates from the people, and told them that, at this moment, all were brothers. Good positions were promised the hungry exiles, which fact accounts for the very strange idea of sending LOUIS BLANC to England to shape public opinion. A man with less influence, or worse influence, in that country than LOUIS BLANC could not be found; but it is consoling to know that his conduct in England will prevent him from doing any harm, which he might have done here. I am inclined to believe that if this Provisional Government could have even the full support of its own party it would do as well as any Government which could be made, for with two or three exceptions these men are working to save FRANCE. GAMBETTA is as modest as worthy at this time, and he is conducting his Department with admirable tact and ability. His object is to heal old sores and to unite old divisions. As for JULES FAVRE and his documents, I have my doubts. It seems to me that he could do much better in writing patriotic appeals to the French, instead of using his powers of rhetoric in trying to win foreign help. All of his papers are intended for the outer world, and his satellites flatter him into the belief that they make a great sensation throughout the civilized world.

"THE VOICE OF THE PEOPLE."

The clubs are growing bolder and bolder, the success of their previous demands making them believe that the Government dare not refuse any request made in the name of the people. I say "request," but the word is not strong enough, for their exactions are all put in the form of demands, the only weak point in them being the final invitation to the National Guard to see that these demands are enforced. As I remarked yesterday, perhaps the best way of disposing of these Jacobin agitators, at this moment, is to buy them out and out, as they have bought M. BLANC, M. DE JONVIELLE and his friends were disposed of by making them officers of barricades, and they are to be seen riding about the city in ornamented kepis and enormous red sashes, casting wise eyes upon every street paved with cobble-stones. The street in front of the Pantheon has been torn up, but for what earthly use beyond furnishing amusement to these men, I defy any sensible man to say. This question of barricades has kept the agitators busy for some time, and for days the different modes of erection were gravely discussed. Any military man will perceive the utter nonsense of this work, setting aside the one fact mentioned—giving occupation to certain men to keep them out of mischief. But I must say that I got in a complete rage, every time I pass one of these barricades, at the folly of them. If the barricades offered by the fortifications cannot keep the enemy from Paris, these small affairs will do nothing. A battery of artillery would sweep them away in a quarter of an hour. The enemy will find them more useful than harmful, and they can only serve to kill women and children by making a running fight in the streets. Regular reports are now made of the sessions of the Clubs, and their decrees are given as if they proceeded from a constituted authority. Regular parliamentary rules are followed. The following are the questions to be voted on to-morrow night:

"The demolition of the column Vendome, this useless monument of despotism, of which the material could be converted into money.

"The people demand that all of the population of Paris shall henceforth be restored with all the decorations of life.

"That the municipal elections shall be proceeded with, with the shortest possible delay, and that from the present moment the Government shall occupy itself with the preparatory work to that effect.

"That the property of those who have cowardly (*lâchement*) fled from Paris shall be confiscated for the benefit of the defenders of the Republic.

"That from this time every person shall be provided with a card, cachet, indicating his name and surnames, his age, his address, his signature, and the kind of service which he performs in the national defense. This card to be shown at the demand of any citizen."

These resolutions were unanimously adopted by the Batignolles Reunion. At all of the Clubs the following resolution has been presented:

"That all the property, real estate or personal, furniture and bouquet of those who have been accomplices in the depredations of the Bois de BOULOGNE be sequestered."

But there have been things more dangerous than these, considering the passions and necessities of the moment. More than one of the Clubs have "resolved" that the provisions within the walls of Paris belong to the people, and that they would do well to take them if the Government cannot find means to make an equal distribution. Of course these things appeal to the worst passions of the mob, and to that class of idle dissolute *ouvriers* who have been disappointed in their hopes of plundering the palaces and the hotels of the rich.

CONSCRIPTS AND SOLDIERS.

The fourteenth day of the siege marked the necessity of the hold out policy well. As I have remarked in a previous letter, the only difficulty is in making a just distribution. Today I chanced to meet the Mayor of one of the arrondissements, and I found him nearly crazy from trouble. The poor man was besieged by applicants for relief, demanding a succor which he saw no means of giving. It is a difficult task to overcome the power of money, and so long as there is anything in the market the rich will buy it and the poor must do without. The only possible way of getting over this state of affairs is by organization. To prevent suffering in hundreds of poor families the authorities must open shops, where the meat will be delivered by tickets denoting the number of mouths to feed in each family. In a city like Paris such a census would not be difficult to make, but the question is whether the authorities will take the matter up in time. If equally distributed, as justly distributed, the 800 horses and 4,000 sheep killed daily would be amply sufficient for the population; but, as a general thing, the quota to each butcher goes at once to his best paying customers, leaving only a small share for the rest of the clientèle. Regular tickets for so much meat is the only way to solve this difficulty. The Government says that the butchers are behaving abominably; but it ought not to be expected that the butchers will take it upon themselves to make a just distribution of meat, which to do so would inflict great loss upon themselves, not only of money, but of custom. Lard is getting scarce. There has been no butter for a week. Eggs sell for four sous each. Today there are no salt provisions to be bought in the shops, and I heard a gentleman offering a fabulous price for a ham. Of cheese of all kinds there is none, and today the people were engaged in buying up the very last article in the market—salt fish. As I have remarked, the authorities make strong charges against the butchers, and to prevent the same course on the part of the bakers, the Government has resolved to seize upon all the flour and wheat in the city. It will then be delivered by requisition from the different *Maries*, according to the number of inhabitants in each quarter. Quite a number of butcheries for horses have been established, and the shops where horse-meat is sold have been crowded since Thursday morning. It is sold at ten sous per pound less than beef, and seems to be gaining in favor. But a very serious want has been developed today. There is a lack of charcoal and of wood. The importance of these article can be readily seen. In all of the little households so many sous are set aside daily for the purchase of coals for cooking purposes. Those who have larger purses buy coals by the sack—enough for the week. The quantity of charcoal bought for three francs fifty centimes a month ago rose to five francs last week, to seven francs on Wednesday, ten francs on Thursday, twelve francs yesterday, and fifteen francs today. Even at this price you have to pay for the transportation or get it home as best you can. The Government gives a bit of hope merely by saying that the wood from the Bois de Boulogne will be immediately hauled to the city, but this cannot go far in supplying the demand. Of forage there is none to be bought for money, and people are sending their horses to the butchery to keep them from starving to death. Many of the horses which the peasants brought in with them, too poor to be used as food, have been turned out to die. This is one of the horrors of a siege, which seems to touch every heart, and I must confess that it takes a deeper hold upon the sympathies than even the sight of a thousand men wounded in battle. Why this is so I leave moral philosophers to explain.

THE WOUNDED.

About eight hundred wounded are now distributed throughout the various ambulances. The most desperate cases are those in the Palais d'la Industrie, under the charge of Dr. NELATON, aided by a staff of the most experienced surgeons in Paris. The American tent ambulance has nine wounded, two so severely as to require amputation each of a leg. Dr. SWINBURN describes the wounds of the needle-gun as terrible, the balls being of much larger size than that of any other arm used by the armies here. The American ambulance was further into the Prussian lines than any other after the last engagement. It was fortunate in falling into the hands of an intelligent Prussian regiment, or it would not have escaped in safety. The officers told Rev. Mr. LAMSON that if by chance he had fallen upon a Posen regiment, composed of ignorant fellows, that they would not have answered for the consequence. As it was, they were treated with the greatest courtesy. The Prussian surgeons having already made the first examinations of the Prussian wounded within their lines, gave them up, each one ticketed with the nature of his wound, &c. It is the Prussian system to take the French who are slightly wounded only, treat them, and send them after cure into Germany as prisoners of war. Only those whose wounds are desperate, or who are likely to remain disabled during the war, are turned over to the French ambulances. It is therefore likely that there will be great mortality among those returned to Paris.

PUNISHMENT OF DESERTERS.

It was, I think, the most pitiable and revolting sight that I ever saw; and although I have seen, in my time, several military executions, and Sepoys blown from the mouth of a cannon, I never before experienced the creeping shudder of horror and disgust which this sight gave me. A few nights ago an outpost battery was attacked by the enemy, and the soldiers fled the redoubt. It is known that when attacked in force, the men in these redoubts must retreat, but these men left too soon. Besides, it was close after the rout of Chatillon. Twenty-one of these men were arrested. A battalion of National Guards took justice into its own hands, unmitred these men, kicked and cuffed them, turned their coats and caps, and, putting a placard upon their breasts, tied their hands behind them, and marched them through the streets. This placard read: "———, (the name,) coward and traitor, to be tried before a Court-martial for deserting his post before the enemy. All honest people are invited to spit in his face." The *gamins* and *voyous* of the street profited by this invitation, and the faces of some of these helpless men were streaming with saliva. The horror of this disgusting act on the part of the National Guard will be appreciated when we remember that these men are under charges which may sentence them to death. They were adjudged guilty before even the semblance of a trial, or even an inquiry.

WONDERFUL ERRORS.

I ought to mention one thing, which is enough to make an American grind his teeth with rage at such folly. Day before yesterday the *Constitutional* gave an article on earth-works, and showed how the Americans covered their forts to protect them from shells. The other journals quote the article, and generally say that "it contains matter for thought, and hints which might be of service to our Generals." This much for the experience of a four years' war and the valuable lessons which it taught! The Prussians were not slow in availing themselves of the experience ignored entirely by the French, and with what result can be easily seen. Can one imagine anything more stupid? Another thing: it was reported the other day that in their reconnoissances the enemy trailed a telegraph wire after them, in order that the way back might be found. This was more than I could bear, and I wrote an article upon the use of the field telegraph in military operations, giving American experience. Only extracts were published, for it was considered a barely probable story; but the extracts were given for the purpose of abusing the Empire because it put the telegraph wires upon poles instead of sinking them in the ground. If the Emperor (as the President of the Telegraph Company, I presume) had buried the wires, Paris need not now be cut off from communication with the provinces. I believe that I can safely say that this is my last attempt in correcting errors in the French Press.

MISUSE OF PIHLARMS.

The other day some of the National Guards amused themselves by putting bits of paper in the muzzle of their guns, and snapping caps, to see how far the papers would fly. A young man, who had come with his friend, desired to try his hand, and was told to take a gun from the stack. He did so, put in the paper, cocked the gun, and, as he said, aimed the friend and another three or four paces off. Not being used to firearms, he had no idea of the force of the gun in all the company thought was loaded. The friend was standing a special examination of fate. The day, the Sixteenth battalion of the National Guard were eating their soup at the ramparts, when a man fell, shot through the upper part of the thigh. All of his comrades ran to him, and in an instant a young man rolled over with a ball through his lungs. He was carried away dying, murmuring, "I thought the pieces were blank." These accidents were caused by some men placing fire-crackers against a wall, where the fire-flies glance, and fly with great force for a mile.

CURRENT NOTES.

The Allegheny Valley Railroad of Pennsylvania, is now in excellent working order.

A very curious cave was lately discovered by an exploring party in the environs of Fishkill.

During the past decade the population of Connecticut has had an increase of 98,000. It is now 537,700.

The fines exacted from the liquor-dealers of Portland, Me., for violations of law, average $100 per day.

Gens. BANKS and BRECKINRIDGE were members of Congress and warm personal friends at Washington fifteen years ago.

Rev. IGNATIUS PERSICO was installed Bishop of Savannah, Ga., on Sunday last, on his arrival from Europe.

A California exchange estimates that after deducting the Chinese from the aggregate population of that State, it would be reduced to a representative basis of 440,000.

The New-England Cotton Manufacturers' Association recently indulged in an animated discussion on the relative value of the various kinds of spinning, as applied to warps.

A prominent physician of Amherst, N. H., is reported to have lately absconded with a considerable sum of money belonging to an Orthodox association, of which he was treasurer.

An unfortunate farmer, who possessed more money than presence of mind, was recently shot and killed by a highwayman near Pittsburg, Penn.

The marriage of Mr. FRANK H. SHAFLEIGH, a well-known Boston artist, and Miss MARY STODDEY, of the same city, was solemnized a few days since.

Miss ELLEN A. ST. CLAIR, of Malden, Eastern Massachusetts, recently arrived in San Francisco, after having traveled 3,000 miles in a private carriage with her father.

Mr. GEORGE E. GREENE, the friend of the late GEORGE D. PRENTICE, and for fourteen years editor of the *Western Sun*, recently died at Vincennes, Ind.

Several young ladies (?) recently astonished the good people of Manchester, N. H., by staggering about the streets under the influence of liquor.

The Montreal *Gazette* thinks it is wrong to suppose that the erection of certain defensive works at that city by the Canadian Government is demanded by Mr. GLADSTONE.

The Methodists, in convention at Philadelphia on Thursday, among other resolutions adopted one deploring the growing sentiment among young men in large cities, that wealth is the great object of life.

A smart woman has been engaged, at Nashua, N. H., for some time past, in selling several hundred dollars' worth of molasses and water as a valuable chemical mixture for the removal of warts, pimples, corns and moles.

Within a period of three years, three men and three horses have been killed on the same day of the month, at the same hour, and on the same section of the Cleveland and Pittsburg Railroad.

In the course of a lecture at Providence, the other night, the Superior of the Order of the Passion, at Baltimore, Md., told his hearers that one great reason for so many persons being unhappy in married life, was the motive which actuated them in making a choice.

According to the Ottawa correspondent of the St. John's *News*, Canada is now enjoying unusual prosperity. He says it has abundant harvests, by sea and land, increased lumber exports, and a great improvement in the revenue. Happy Canada.

The Cincinnati *Enquirer* attributes the defeat of the "Red Stockings" to the attacks made on their late President, who, in being solicited to canvass for a political office, brought such an amount of contempt upon them that they could no longer hold up their heads among other men, and all their ambition for victory then died out.

A Canadian, named BROCK, who had walked four thousand miles in search of a truant wife, recently found her in a house of questionable repute at Detroit, Mich. She had some valuable papers that he desired to obtain possession of, and offered to forgive her the past on the condition that she would restore them.

The report of the Western Maryland Railroad, recently submitted to the stockholders, shows that there were 112,882 passengers, and 112,104,206 pounds of freight passed over the road during the year. There was an increase of $64,22 in the earnings over that of the previous year.

The occupants of a house at Kinderhook, in this State, said to have been haunted for some months past, recently found a solution of the mystery in the discovery of a human skeleton beneath the flooring of one of the rooms. Previous to the discovery night was made hideous by groans, screams, and tramping of feet through the house, but since then, singular enough to say, the noises have ceased altogether.

A bank check for $500, which has had a curious history, was sent to the Treasury Department at Washington, a short time since. It was taken from the body of a murdered Texan cattle-drover, several years ago, by Indians, who in consequence of the variety of colors in the rich engravings, attached some special importance to it, and cut the paper into several pieces, dividing them among the tribe. A Peace Commissioner finally persuaded the gentle savages to give up the pieces, and he pasted them together, and forwarded the check—now complete—to Washington.

A Baby Show in Tennessee—Twenty-seven Mothers Compete for the Prizes.

The Memphis *Avalanche*, of the 15th inst., in describing a baby show recently held in that city, says:

After nurses and babies had all been collected in the entrance hall, the mothers were called them into the arena in the order in which they had been entered, and the babies belonging to the twenty-seven ladies were carried into the ring for the inspection of the bachelor judges. Ranged in front of the northern grand stand stood the nurses, with their little charges in their arms, in a petite tableau, and the sight was a peculiar one. There were babies of all kinds and of all ages, that is to say of all months under twelve, for WHEELER, PICKENS & Co., in presenting the beautiful little perambulator, had distinctly bargained that it should be presented "to the finest baby under one year old on exhibition at this Fair." The blue-eyed blondes were in the majority, although there were many brunettes, dark-colored and placid. The boys seemed to be livelier than the girls, and laughed and "crowed" in a manner that was delightful to behold. The mammas tried every contrivance to make their babies smile, laugh and crow, and sundry comfits and cakes were called into requisition. One blue-eyed lad of about ten months was very attractive, and his efforts to swallow a scarlet worsted ball four inches in diameter caused universal admiration. The task of the judges was no ordinary one, but they faced the music like men, and gazed the juveniles nearly out of countenance while examining their "points." Health, strength, "heft" and good looks were all taken into account, and the judges moved silently and steadily along the lines, their every motion and every word being eagerly watched by nurse, pops and mamma. Some of the babies stared as the portly figure of Mr. HAMILTON as he marched at the head of his forces, and looked as if they had a slight glimmering of what it was all about, and they looked up smilingly, while others of the members faces, with tears in their eyes and mouths all a-blout. It was indeed an interesting sight, and many broke through the rope-guards and eagerly rushed into the ring, as if to look upon a baby was not an every-day occurrence. After the judges had carefully scanned the groups they retired for deliberation, and then ordered the following babies, according to numbers as given above, to be separated from the general group: Nos. 3, 4, 6, 19, 24 and 26, belonging respectively to Mrs. J. C. Johnson, Mrs. R. W. Ainslie, Mrs. John Mitchell, Mrs. L. McGuire, Mrs. G. H. Cavan, and Mrs. Joseph Musser. The babies took another fond look at the fortunate half dozen and again retired for consultation. They seemed to have agreed all round for the baby, for, coming out in a compact wedge, Maj. Dr. PERKINS, the chief of the array, came forward, took little MARY AINSLIE's big arms, attached to her sight and the blue ribbon, placed her in the baby carriage, and Col. J. G. BALLESTINE, Grand Marshal, gallantly wheeled the lucky little lady round the arena amid the huzzas of the assembled multitude, while the unlucky babies were carried solemnly out of the ring. After the prize baby had been shown all around, it was taken in front of the grand stand, but the noise around proved too much for its nerves, and the Grand Marshal and his assistant shouted lustily for the music. So ended the great baby show of the Fair."

NOTES FROM THE PEOPLE.

The Earthquake—A Correction—No Panic or Stampede in the East Fourteenth-street School.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

I hope you will do me the justice to correct the misstatement which appeared in this morning's TIMES in reference to what transpired at the public school of East Fourteenth-street. You say that the "shock of earthquake created such a panic there that a general stampede of the children was the result; but though many of them were knocked down and trodden upon, none, as we are informed, were injured." Now, Sir, all that is true of this statement is that there was a shock and that none were injured. How you could make up an article of such conflicting ideas as that there was a panic, a stampede, children knocked down and trodden upon, and then add none were injured, I cannot understand. Why not carry out the article to a natural conclusion and say fifty were killed and a hundred injured! The facts I now mention every teacher and pupil present will attest—that though all felt the shaking, and many were sick and dizzy, not one pupil rose from his seat till told by me to rise, and, in marching out, whenever the command "halt" was given, they all instantaneously halted. Could you call this a panic, a stampede! And in going down stairs last, while out of my sight, some might rush forward, knocking down those before them. I dismissed them in small numbers, and thus avoided what you supposed to be inevitable—that a school of 400 to 500 children could be dismissed from the top of the building to the bottom without the slightest injury. Which, according to all reports, would not have been the case had the school been a primary school, each boy a Schneider's devil, for I understand that some pupils did not even wait to raise the window, but jumped through the glass into the street.

By inserting the above you will oblige, and, at same time, make some reparation for the injury you have done me.

PRINCIPAL OF GRAMMAR SCHOOL No. 19, Fourteenth-street.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL, No. 19, Friday, Oct. 21, 1870.

Some Home Truths.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

I am a Republican—never voted any other ticket in my life, except the Whig tickets, when we used to have a Whig Party, but I am now in a complete state of bewilderment. I don't know how to vote, or whether to vote at all. On one page of the TIMES, with all the eloquence you are master of, you appeal to every citizen to go to the polls and "hurl the corrupt scoundrels from their high places of power." On another page you tell us that the Tweed Democracy have subverted to their uses the Republican organizations in the City. Where am I to go? Whichever way I turn, politically, I am but pulling BILL TWEED's chestnuts out of the fire. Poor old PETER COOPER was humbugged, NAT. SAINS bought over, hundreds of "Ring" situations, you tell us, are given to leading Republican politicians as the price of their complicity with TWEED's plans.

It is very easy to tell the people to "rise in their majesty, hurl the corrupt scoundrels out of sight," and get off ever so many fine phrases, but it is another thing to do it. I have many a time done my part in trying to "hurl" them, but they wouldn't be "hurled." Now, I see nothing for it but a pilgrimage to Jersey, thus Mecca of disgusted New-Yorkers. Within a radius of thirty miles from City Hall there are tens of thousands of *emigrés* from this City, and the exodus is still going on, and likely to continue doing so, till the island is abandoned to the uses of wholesale warehouses, newspaper offices, gin-mills, *maisons de joie*, and the haunts of the iron-dog Democracy. It may seem cowardly to run away and leave the City, instead of remaining to assist in its redemption, but when, according to your own computation, every man, woman and child is taxed from $28 to $30 per annum for the privilege of living here, in comparison with from $3 to $10 in neighboring States, it is not altogether unreasonable.

I hope soon to swell the column of *emigrés*, but before I go I would like to have a parting shot at the dirty scum who compel my departure from a City where I have lived since my boyhood; but I am at a loss how to go about it. There are as many traitors in the Republican camp—so many men in whom I have hitherto had confidence, who are the bitterness of Tammany, that I really don't know how to vote without, perhaps, playing into the hands of TWEED and his confederated scoundrels. Can the TIMES enlighten me? P. L. B.

[Vote for Gen. WOODFORD as Governor, and Justice LEDWITH as Mayor. Is that plain enough?]

A Correction.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

As Chairman of the Convention which nominated MORRIS ELLINGER, Esq., as candidate of the Republican Party for the Ninth Congressional District, allow me to correct the report in yesterday's TIMES, stating that Mr. WILLIAM A. DARLING was nominated by the regular Convention.

The Covention, over which I presided, consisted of ten delegates of the Seventeenth Assembly District, elected without opposition, of ten delegates of the Twenty-first District, whose credentials were signed regularly, as prescribed in the call, making twenty delegates out of whole thirty-one composing the Convention, whose right to seats could not possibly be questioned, besides the delegates of the Nineteenth and Twentieth Assembly Districts, whose credentials were not entirely so regular.

A motion was made and carried, to open the door and ask for and admit any contesting delegates, none appearing as contestants. Mr. ELLINGER was nominated, and a committee of three appointed to inform him of the nomination.

IRA. A. ALLEN,
Chairman Ninth District Republican Congressional Convention.

NO. 212 WEST FIFTIETH-STREET, Oct. 21, 1870.

The Neutrality Question Between Prussia and the United States.

From the Pall Mall Gazette, Oct. 8.

We may anticipate that the correspondence between Count BERNSTORFF and Lord GRANVILLE will be paralleled by a correspondence between Baron GEROLT and Mr. FISH. It is said that from the United States, as well as from the United Kingdom, large supplies of contraband of war have been and are still being imported into France. Impartiality would seem to require that the remonstrance addressed by Government should be favored by the German Minister with a diplomatic exposition of the theory and practice of neutrality. It cannot be supposed that the remonstrance addressed by Count BERNSTORFF to Lord GRANVILLE expressed merely his personal views on the question to which it related. The doctrine of "benevolent neutrality" must be recorded as one which the German Confederation is prepared to maintain against all comers. We are justified in assuming that ours is not an exceptional but an ordinary case. The demanding that the rules which Count BERNSTORFF has invented or revived should be applied by his Government not only to its relations with us but also to its relations with every other Power placed in a similar position to our own. The international policy of the German Confederation should be meted out with the measure in all quarters of the globe; and it is fair to expect that its representatives should be restrained from blowing hot across the English Channel and cold across the Atlantic.

The United States Consul at Honolulu.

The Wilmington (Del.) *Commercial* says of Mr. T. J. ADAMSON, the United States Consul at Honolulu:

"He is a Quaker, an ardent Republican and a life-long Abolitionist. During his short occupancy of the consulate at Honolulu we are told he brought order out of chaos, and made the office 'a paying one to the Government, which it never was before.' While in Pernambuco, where he was appointed by President LINCOLN, he protected over 100 prisoners left there by the Anglo-rebel pirate *Florida*, and provided for their wants, and borrowed money from JOHN W. MATHEWS, a wealthy English merchant there, to send them home, not knowing whether his Government would approve his action. The action was approved, however, and he remained undisturbed in his office during JOHNSON's Administration. Although a Quaker, he is not altogether a man of peace, as one of the sailors of the pirate *Florida* found out after insulting him in his office at Pernambuco."

CANAL MANAGEMENT.

The Erie Canal and the Funding Bill—Important Meeting at the Produce Exchange—Speeches of Hon. Wm. M. Evarts, Peter Cooper, and Others.

A public meeting was held at the Produce Exchange, at 1 o'clock, yesterday, to consider what action might be taken with regard to the Erie Canal and the Funding bill in view of the approaching election. Col. REID, President of the Exchange, occupied the chair.

Letters were received from Hon. WM. B. DODGE and EDWARDS PIERREPONT, regretting their inability to be present at the meeting, and expressing their desire for its success.

REMARKS OF MR. EVARTS.

Hon. WM. M. EVARTS was the first speaker. He said it afforded him great pleasure, upon the invitation of the Committee, to say or do all that was in his power to say or do in behalf of the great public measure now pending before the people of this State, to be acted upon at the approaching election. It was a measure whose success he desired most earnestly, and he never had intrusted it to any organization, political or otherwise, to which he belonged, to deprive him of the right, or justify him in the desertion of the duty, of securing the public welfare of the people of this State, by advocating and attaining the triumph of the pending measure if it were in his power. [Applause.] The case was one of the most simple in the world—one that every intelligent man could comprehend in the first presentation. The Constitution of 1846 having placed the canal management under an iron restraint, by an obligation to satisfy the debt—the people of this State who own canals will determine by their votes in November next whether they will pay that debt and release the canals from their restraints and subject them to their own control, to be managed to the public interest. This the office and this the effect of the Canal Funding bill, preserving every obligation to the public, proposing a loan on the credit of the wealth of the population of the State under guarantees of the Constitution for its payment for the purpose of taking the money thus raised, paying dollar for dollar in the discharge of the existing debt, thus bringing the canal management to the people of the State, to regulate its tolls, its superintendence and its repairs for the public and general welfare. He proceeded to consider the reasons why it was important that the bill should be passed. In the first place in questions of political economy, it was important that the people should be able to adjust their taxation according to their general, their united, their resulting interests, and not sacrifice the general development and wealth of the population to the aggrandizement of a class. [Applause.] He knew nothing more foolish in political economy than to tax processes instead of results. He knew nothing more unwise than to impede the circulation, instead of availing all the strength which comes from it, and as sure as they taxed the vital circulation of this State its health would be impaired. Instead of taking their revenues out of those collected resources, so sure would they enrich their rivals at their own expense. It was important in another point of view, and that was, in the interest of good government that they should have the management of those canals. Let the warring of the past teach them that just as their revenues increase, just as will the expenditure for the repairs and the management, and the necessity for a healthy restraint was apparent. Now, if they did not own the canals, and did not own the Cities of New-York and Buffalo, and all the intermediate territory, if they did not own the shipping in the port, and all the wealth producing industry in the State, then they might try to get as much out of their special property in the canals as a private owner. But what it now produces the ruinous destruction of the trade and wealth and growth of the State, no man can say for a moment that he has not a special interest in it, and that it is made the canal for the general benefit. Look at it in point of our national obligations. Fortunately in this great seaport they were sure of collecting foreign commerce, sure to command the productions of the West. They were yet under an obligation never to levy a tax which should be in the nature of a burthen upon the property of other States, merely because it passed through it, and they had chances to lay their hands upon it. In this as in everything else they should preserve that high character for patriotism to the nation which they have always presented. He did not think it in the least doubtful that this measure would receive the support of the people of New-York. He was sure that no political party was disposed to say that their candidates should not vote against the Canal Funding bill. [Applause.] He undertook to say that when the Legislature passed this Funding bill by the unanimous votes of Democrats and Republicans in the Senate, and by a vote of one hundred, of both parties, against six, in the Assembly, nobody was authorized to comment on either the Democratic or Republican Party in reference to this measure. [Applause.] And it would not be said that the great Republican Party of the United States, taking in its strength the Mississippi territory and the Northwestern States, was opposed to a system that would liberate the transit from the Mississippi Valley to the tide-water from unjust and oppressive taxation. In conclusion, he remarked that all members of the Legislature were free to vote on this measure, and partisan opposition could not be charged to the party to which they on the one side or the other, belonged. [Cheers.]

REMARKS OF PETER COOPER.

Mr. PETER COOPER next addressed the meeting. He said: When the far-sighted statesmen, of whom DE WITT CLINTON was the chief, planned the great canal system, on which the State and the City owe so much, their object was no petty one. They sought to draw the traffic of the West through this channel, not for the inconsiderable overflow which could be diverted into the public treasury, but for the rich deposit that would every where fertilize and enrich our State. As thrifty as they were they intended to make this great work a self-supporting one, but they did not intend, with the narrow policy that in a neighboring State has seemed so selfish and unwise, to support their own Government by taxing the persons and property that owed least to it. Their wish was rather that which inspired the framers of the Federal Constitution, to facilitate and not to impede commerce between the States. Once paid for, they wished the canals to be free. With the Erie Canal, at least, that condition is fulfilled. It has earned in tolls $15,000,000 more than its total cost, and the only debt left to be paid is that incurred for the lateral canals.

Since the time of CLINTON, a rival to his great canal has come into the field. Iron roads through every State can now compete with the water way which only New-York could build; can compete with it in everything but cheapness, in that water transportation must ever excel, is it wise or statesmanlike to deprive the canal of this advantage by a grasping and timorous policy and thus to dam up the channel through which traffic could otherwise most readily flow, and send it to seek an outlet through the St. Lawrence through Pennsylvania, by the Mississippi? Out of our difficulty the funding policy would extricate us. The legal principles and economic results of this measure have been fully discussed. It is enough for me to say that it affords a method of completing the work for which CLINTON labored, of lessening the price of every loaf and increasing the pay of every working man. He concluded by remarking that the City of New-York could well afford to pay the whole debt rather than turn the trade in other channels which rightly belonged to the intelligence, the capital and the enterprise of its people. [Applause.]

Mr. ROAR offered the following preamble and resolutions, which were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, There will be submitted to the people, at the coming election (Nov. 8, 1870,) in this State, the

THE UNITARIANS

Final Session of the National Conference—A Substitute for the Ninth Article of the Constitution Adopted.

The morning session of the fourth day of the biennial "National Conference of Unitarian and other Christian Churches" commenced at 10 o'clock yesterday, at Rev. Dr. HEPWORTH'S Church of the Messiah, Forty-fourth-street and Fourth-avenue. Hon. HENRY CHENEY, of Worcester, Mass., Chairman of the Conference, presided.

Rev. Dr. HEPWORTH proposed a substitute for the ninth article of the Constitution. Instead of saying "To secure the largest unity of spirit and the widest co-operation, we declare that the preamble and resolutions are only expressions of the majority, and not binding on those who object," he proposed "reaffirming our allegiance to the Gospel of Christ, and in order to secure the largest unity of spirit and the widest co-operation, we invite to our fellowship all who wish to be His followers." He declared he had used up four pencils in writing this proposition. [Laughter.]

Rev. Mr. CALTHROPP, Syracuse, N. Y., seconded the motion.

An old gentleman in the body of the hall got up and declared that he regarded the amendment as a compromise between the old Unitarians and the radicals. He would never consent to any compromise.

A vote was then taken, when there appeared 205 for the amendment, and 33 against.

The announcement was received with loud bounds of applause.

Rev. Mr. VICARS, of Cincinnati, one of the minority, mounted the platform, and, waving his hat, bitterly exclaimed: "One word on this business. Rome has spoken, but this cause has not concluded." [Hisses.]

Rev. Mr. CORDNER of Montreal, proposed the following for acceptance: "Holding Christian truth to be inexhaustible in its nature and its application, we decline to lay attention to any particular and articles of saving faith. In response, however, to inquiries concerning our doctrines and principles as Unitarian Christians, we refer, first, to the teachings and life of Jesus Christ, as set forth in the New Testament, as our fundamental authority; and, second, to the expositions and illustrations thereof, to meet the wants of the present time, to the tracts already published by the American Unitarian Association."

Rev. Dr. BELLOWS was opposed to the passing of Dr. CORDNER's proposition, as it would raise up a new question and new discussions. It was no good to be achieved by any such declaration of principles against such a respectable minority.

Rev. Mr. CLARK, of Boston, perfectly agreed with his friend Dr. BELLOWS. Agreeing to Dr. CORDNER's proposition would be considered condemning the minority as heretics.

Rev. Dr. GRANNIS then withdrew his resolution and it was committed to a committee for report at the next general meeting, the committee to consist of seven clergymen and four laymen, or laywomen, to be named by the Chairman.

Rev. Mr. LOVE moved a resolution expressing great satisfaction at the letter of Jesse Beman received from the Universalist Convention. The resolution was seconded, and passed unanimously.

Rev. Mr. HALE said he understood there were 300 statements of faith in the Bibles and now he is the same. [Laughter.]

It was decided that all statements of faith in the hands of individuals be handed in to the Secretary for reporting the Committee above referred to.

Prof. EVERETT, of the Theological School at Cambridge, moved that the night's reading paper on the work of the Unitarian Association—the relations between the Conference and the Unitarian Association were delicate, and it would be impertinent to interfere with the action of the Association. It was well to remember that the association was doing a great work, and any weakening of it would be injurious to the churches. The more each church did for the association the more it did for itself, but they had no power to prescribe rules of action for the Association.

A report of a meeting of officers of Conference, held at Boston, was read by Mr. WHITCHER, recommending the second Sunday in November for a general collection for the American Unitarian Association.

On motion of Rev. Mr. GOLLIER, it was

Resolved, That in view of the great and growing opportunity of making the Unitarian cause and spirit of Unitarian Christianity, we earnestly recommend every church and society within the circle of our fellowship to use all the diligence in their power, that we may enable the American Unitarian Association to meet the great call from all quarters for a knowledge of the truth which we hold and teach.

Resolved, That the churches be requested to raise $100,000 for the use of the American Unitarian Association next year, and that we approve of the second Sunday in November as collection Sunday.

A vote of thanks to Rev. Mr. LOWE for his administration of the affairs of the American Unitarian Association, and promising him co-operation, was unanimously passed.

It was decided that the report of the Committee on Endowment of Antioch College be printed without being read.

It was decided to raise $100,000 for the support of Antioch College, Chicago.

It was resolved that $100,000 be raised by subscription during the year for a national Unitarian Church at Chicago.

At the afternoon session, Rev. Mr. BROWN, a colored minister, made a long speech, asking for money in aid of an African school.

Rev. Mr. TIMMINS, of Brighton, Mass., offered a resolution to present the greetings of this Conference to the Unitarians of Great Britain. It was unanimously passed.

Rev. Dr. BELLOWS then moved that the next meeting of the Conference be held at Saratoga, N. Y., if convenient arrangements could be made.

The motion obtained a unanimous vote.

The singing of a hymn, and a prayer by Rev. Dr. COLLIER, of Chicago, concluded the Conference, which adjourned sine die.

The Indorsements of Married Women—An Important Decision.

The Commission of Appeals have recently made a decision of importance to the business community, as it settles the question as to the liability of married women on accommodation indorsements. The case was that of The Corn Exchange Insurance Company vs. BABCOCK, and we find the opinions of the Commissioners given at length in this week's number of the Albany *Law Journal*. The action was brought upon three promissory notes, having upon each the special indorsement of defendant, ARMINA BABCOCK, a part of whose having separate property, substantially in the following form:

For value received, I hereby charge my individual property with the payment of this note.
ARMINA BABCOCK.

These indorsements were for the benefit of her husband. On appeal from a judgment against defendant, the General Term of the Third District held that the indorsements were not sufficient to change the separate estate of the defendant; that they should have specifically described the property to be charged, and have been executed with all the formalities of a mortgage, and also that the action being at law could not be maintained. A married woman's separate estate was only chargeable in equity. The Commissioners of Appeal have now reversed this decision, holding that a simple declaration in the indorsement is sufficient to charge the separate estate of a married woman, and that an ordinary action at law can be maintained on such indorsement.

The Death of Col. Dana, United States Army—Resolutions of the Seventh Regiment.

At a joint meeting of the Tenth Company and of the Associates of the Engineers' Corps and Company K, Seventh Regiment, N. G. S. N. Y., held at the armory on Wednesday evening, the following preamble and resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, It has pleased the Great Ruler of events in His inscrutable wisdom to suddenly take from us, while yet in the flush of youth, our late beloved fellow-soldier and Associate Member, Major and Brevet Lieut.-Col. SAMUEL DANA, United States Army, therefore be it

Resolved, That we convey to his afflicted family our heartfelt sympathy in this their bereavement. The sudden and apparently premature death of Col. DANA is, to many of us who were associated with him for years in this Company, a great personal loss.

Resolved, That while we mourn with those who mourn, we shall always cherish a pleasant recollection of his warm attachment to this Company, and how much he excited our admiration and love as the skilful soldier, true gentleman, and genial friend.

Resolved, That the Company book be draped in mourning for thirty days, and that these resolutions be sent to the family of our deceased comrade, to the Army and Navy Journal, to all the other Companies, to the Veteran Association of the Regiment, and our regimental organ, and published in the New-York papers.

The following was the Committee on Resolutions: JOSEPH LENTILHON, ROBERT L. FIERSON, Jr., REBE V. MILHAU, ROBERT L. VIELE.

Arrest of a Murderer—The Killing of Nicholas Gulick.

Yesterday morning FRANCIS WANNEMAKER, the murderer of NICHOLAS GULICK, of Rocky Hill, was taken to Somerville, N. J., by Detective GEORGE STRATFORD, of Jersey City, to answer to the indictment which had been found against him by the Somerset County Grand Jury. The circumstances of the affray which resulted in GULICK'S death were published in these columns on the day following its occurrence, and need not be recapitulated. Very little interest seems to have been taken by the people of Rocky Hill, save the sympathy for a poor negro who had been in the employ of WANNEMAKER'S father. The assailant was, however, arrested after GULICK'S death, and although WANNEMAKER'S friends protested that GULICK died from intemperate habits rather than of his injuries, the Grand Jury found an indictment against the prisoner. The trial was called at the May term of the Somerset County Court, but an adjournment was secured until the Fall term. In the meantime WANNEMAKER escaped. Photographs of the fugitive were circulated among the detectives, one of which came into the hands of Mr. STRATFORD. It was by the aid of this photograph that the prisoner was at last detected. Late on Thursday night Detective STRATFORD visited the Pacific Hotel in Greenwich-street, and at once recognized his man, who was forthwith arrested by Frank Smith. He was taken to Somerville, and upon being told that he could be locked up in New-York until a requisition could be obtained from Gov. RANDOLPH, he consented to cross the river and be confined again in a Jersey prison.

LAW REPORTS.

COURT OF APPEALS—DAY CALENDAR.

ALBANY, Oct. 21.—The following is the Court of Appeals day calendar for Oct. 24: Nos. 2, 28, 29, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37.

SUPREME COURT—SPECIAL TERM.

Before Justice Barnard.

THE JUDGE HOLDS FIRMLY A LIEN WITHOUT POSSESSION—A REMARKABLE SALVAGE CASE.

Jones et al. vs. Nelson Chase et al.—It may be remembered from the reports of the case of Chase vs. Smith and others, that Mme. Jumel originally Eliza Bowen, came with her sister from Rhode Island, to this City early in the century. Mme. Jumel was first the mistress and then the wife of Mr. Jumel, and consequently received certain property, that of little, now of very great value. They had no children of their own, at least no legitimate children, but adopted like brought up, as their own a girl, who called herself Mrs. Nelson Chase. Mr. and Mrs. Chase had two children, who were treated and spoken of as their nephew and niece by Mme. Jumel or her sister. When Mme. Jumel came to die, her will was found to devise the bulk of her property to Rev. Mr. Smith, and only left charities, to the exclusion of her adopted heirs and her sister's children.

Mme. Jumel's sister had married a Mr. Jones, by whom she had four children, who are the plaintiffs in this case, and who are in default of children of Mme. Jumel, her heirs. Mr. Chase, immediately after the death of Mme. Jumel, obtained from these four heirs an instrument of all their claims to the estate, and commenced a suit to set aside the will. In this suit he succeeded. Two years passed, during which the heirs and Mr. Chase, the first executed in July, 1867, a release of all claims to the estate, for a consideration of $40,000. The other, actually executed some months subsequent to that, but dated back, conveying ninety-nine hundredths of the estate for a considerable sum of money. This last was intended to take the place of the first.

The present action is brought to set aside these two deeds on the ground that they were obtained by Mr. Chase, by fraud and duress, and that the heirs were persuaded there that these papers were required to perfect a compromise with the heirs, that he had to them in pursuance of their trite rights and that the property was to be equally distributed.

The answer sets out at much length the history of the relations of Mr. and Mrs. Chase and their children to Mme. Jumel, and claims that from these relations, and from the fact that Mme. Jumel had expressly stipulated, on her death, to her property, as her heirs and next of kin, or their representatives, Mme. Jumel had made such promises to bring about a marriage that the defendant Mrs. Chase, and her children claim that he has made a trust deed in respect to his children their rights. He absolutely denies that he was the attorney of the plaintiffs; that he made any false representations to induce them to sign the papers; all in ignorance of their position, or that they had any rights.

George, the Count Johannes, is the counsel for the plaintiffs. After reciting the pleadings, which contained some interesting facts in the history of the family. According to his statement, Mrs. Chase was a daughter of Mr. Jones by an illicit connection with Mayor Bowen, the father of that Mayor; that she was adopted by Mme. Jumel, but her position was not recognized by her only as which her real parentage, but in two flights to her mother's home the latter is avoid the rest of Mme. Jumel which had occurred prior Mme. Jumel did not continue down to Mrs. Chase's death to regard her as a dependent. The counsel then gave a peculiarly dramatic account of how the two conspirators, Chase and Smith, had obtained, unknowing the manner of each of the interlocutors.

After his speech the Court, on his request, took a recess. After the recess the Count introduced one witness, who testified that he was the agent of the plaintiffs in the Jumel estate, and gave in evidence the certificate of the Controller that in last part two years the estate had paid out on account of taxes, leasing to Jumel, estate of which he claimed to be sole owner. He called for the original papers which it was sought to set aside, and then made a long statement that they were not genuine as signed by the plaintiffs, offering them to witnesses for identification only, saying that the estate was worth $1,000,000. In this connection, the defendant claimed that the Jumel estate was not Mme. Jumel's, the estate was over $600,000 counsel said that Mr. O'Conor should know, as he in the strange suit had been entitled to five per cent. of the value.

Mr. O'Conor said he had never seen the papers in place with the other willful lies of counsel for the plaintiffs against both the living and the dead.

George, the Count, said he had seen it in the public papers.

Mr. O'Conor had not seen it in any paper. He did not believe the attorney on the other side had received it from any source. He believed it forged. He had not the slightest question of the honesty of his honorable opponent, but never on this allegation of fact. He must speak.

The Count was glad he had given his brother counsel an opportunity to make this declaration.

Mr. O'Conor said he was glad the proceedings of the opposite counsel were unprecedented. He knew of no outrage in public which he heard day. This he was entitled to retort against a client, a Chase, Smith.

The Court then read an affidavit that two of the plaintiffs were sick. A sister of theirs, on his speaking for her about becoming a witness, exhibited signs of mental disorder. Mrs. Jones, a Chase, was sick. He did not desire a continuance of the trial. He had gone, but he asked Count's request be appointed to take the testimony of the sick plaintiffs, and submitted the matter to the Court.

Mr. O'Conor objected, and commented somewhat severely on the fact that none of the plaintiffs had verified the complaint, and none were now produced.

The Count denounced Mr. Wm. H. Jones as having been bribed by Mr. Chase to stay away by a bribe of an office worth $2,000 a year, which Mr. Chase promptly denounced as a lie.

After some further discussion the Court adjourned to let the Count produce evidence of the value of the property, the only evidence he proposed to produce in support of his extraordinary allegations.

FINANCIAL APPAIRS.

Sales at the Stock Exchange—OCT. 21.

FIRST BOARD.

$1,000 U. S. 6s '81 C	112¼	100 Adams Ex	67½
6,000 U. S. 5-20 R	113	25 do	67½
500 do	113½	100 do	68
13,000 U. S. 5-20 C	113½	100 Am. Mer. U. Ex	41½
1,000 U. S. 5-20 C	113½	10 do	41½
10,000 U. S. 5-20 C	113½	100 do	41½
10,000 U. S. 5-20 C	113½	100 N. Y. C. & H. R.	99½
4,000 N. Cen. Sh. 6s	92½	200 do	99½
2,000 S. Cal. Sc. 6s	92½	100 do	99½
1,000 do 7 July	89½	200 do	99½
500 do	90	100 do	99½
10,000 Mich. Sc. 6s	97	100 do	99½
1,000 do	91½	100 do	99½
5,000 Mil. & St. P. 6s	90	5,000 N. Y. C. & H. C.	97
1,000 do	90	100 do	97½
1,000 N. Y. C. & H. C.	100½	200 N. Y. Cen. R.	104½
1,000 do	100½	100 do	104½
4,000 Cen. P. G. 10s	95½	200 Reading R.	96½
2,000 do	95½	100 Ro. & St. A. R.	92½
1,000 U. P. L. G. 10s	92	100 do	92½
10,000 U. Pac. Sp. Im.	77	100 do	92½
8,000 H. & St. J. & C. B.	104½	200 do	92½
1,000 Chi. & R. I. 10s	90	100 do	92½
5,000 C. & R. I. & P. R.	90	50 Panama R.	81
500 do	90	100 do	80½
4,000 Mich. So. 7s	87	100 Tol., W. & W.	50½
10,000 do	87	200 do	50½
1,000 C. P. & A. 7s, m	91½	100 Chi. & N. W. Pref.	81½
1,000 L. S. Div bds	91	100 do	81½
1,000 C. & R. I. 7s	90½	100 Chi. & R. I. R.	111½
25 St. of Commerce	122½	100 Mil. & St. P. R.	63½
10 Ninth Nat. Bk	108	200 do	63½
100 West. U. Tel	41	200 Tol., W. & W.	50½
100 do	41½	100 do	50½
700 do	40½	20 P., Ft. W. & C. G.	93½
100 do	40½	100 Del., L. & W. R.	103½
300 do	40½	100 do	103½
100 do	40½	100 Hest., H. & N. R.	12
200 Sac. M. & Co.	44	20 Ohio & M. R. Pref.	26
200 do	44	10 do	26
100 do	44	100 do	26
100 N. Jer. R.	116½	100 do	26
100 Mar. Pref.	76½	100 do	26
1000 Ohio & Miss. R.	32		

SECOND BOARD.

$10,000 U. S. 6s '78 R	108½	200 Pacific Mail	44
5,000 U. S. 5-20 C '62	113	200 do	44
500 do	113	100 do	44
1,000 U. S. 5-20 C '64	113½	100 Quick. Hisloop	47
500 do	113½	100 West. U. Tel.	41½
500 U. S. 5-20 C '66	113½	100 do	41½
small	113½	200 Reading R.	92½
14,000 U. S. 5-20 C '67	113½	100 do	92½
1,000 U. S. 5-20 C '68	113½	300 Union Pac. R.	77
5 do	113½	100 Tiffa. Pf. W. & C.	93½
8,000 U. S. 10-40 R	108½	20 do	93½
21,000 U. S. 10-40 C	108½	70 New-Jersey	116½
5 do	108½	200 Mil. & St. P. Pref.	63½
10,000 U. S. 6s, cur	111½	76 Tol., Wab. & West	51½
5,000 M. & St. P. 7s, int	103½	100 Chi. & Alton	151
1,000 L. C. & C. 1st	78½	100 Merch. & Mani.	52½
20 Metropolitan Bk	130	50 Han. & St. Jos.	105
100 Mariposa Pref	16½	100 do	105
200 do	16½		

FRIDAY, Oct. 21—P. M.

The day has been one of unusual dullness in the different departments of the Stock Exchange. Owing to the absence of private cable advices foreign bankers have been doing little either in the Public Funds or in Gold. The scarcity of cash Gold and the high rates which borrowers have had to pay for its use operated against free dealings in Foreign Exchange, the rates of which have been irregular. The most of leading drawers have been asking 109¾ for sixty-day bills, and 109¾ for short sight; while the sixty-day bills of one of the prime drawers have been freely offered through the day at 109¾, with sales reported as low as 109¾. The liberal offerings of these bills, which were drawn by the firm credited with holding a part of its gold off the market yesterday, support the theory that the purpose of yesterday's movement in the gold loan market was to break down the rates of Exchange. The fear of a repetition of this movement has checked purchases. Commercial bills, at the moment, are scarce and quoted at 108¾@109¾.

Money continues in abundant supply to borrowers on call, at 5 and 6 ⅌ cent. In the afternoon, when the market felt the influence of the Treasury disbursement on account of yesterday's bond purchases, 6 ⅌ cent. was the highest rate, and balances were left temporarily with the large dealers in the Public Funds at 4 ⅌ cent. Nothing new can be noticed in discounts, the banks generally having full lines. Among outside buyers of paper, prime names pass readily at 7@8 ⅌ cent.

All the sales of gold today have been between 112¼ and 112¾, the lowest price having been made early in the day, on a report that the Treasury would, on Saturday or Monday, begin the prepayment of the November interest without rebate. Later in the day, as the report was not confirmed, the price returned to 112¾. The Gold Loan Market was close in the morning, and borrowers paid 3-32 of one ⅌ cent ⅌ day. When it became known that the mint withheld a rebate, the day had been returned, the rate declined to "flat," and after Clearing House hours three ⅌ cent. per annum was paid for carrying. It is said that the report concerning the prepayment of the November interest to-morrow was influenced the reluctance to the market of the Gold withdrawals yesterday. The Treasury disbursements in this City continue far below the receipts. Today $98,000 of the 1871 Bonds were presented for prepayment; while the total amount of November Coupons thus far offered, subject to the rebate, is only $261,000, including $145,000 today. As far as we have heard, the Specie engagements for to-morrow's steamers will be about $150,000, which will be in silver.

The Public Funds have shown decided firmness, although the business has been on a restricted scale, the German bankers, as already noticed, having been out of the market. State Bonds continue neglected. Railroad Mortgages on completed roads are in steady demand and are firmly held. The Central Pacific Bonds sold at 90¼@90¾, the latter being the closing quotation. Union Pacifics sold at 83, and the Incomes of the same Company at 78. City Bank Shares were nominal.

The railway speculation at the Stock Exchange, as a whole, has been tame, and the fluctuations in prices have not been important, with the tone of the market barely steady. The features have been New-York Central and Hudson, Lake Shore, North West Preferred, Ohio and Mississippi and St. Paul. The Chicago and North Western Railway Company have just rendered an official statement of the earnings and expenses of the road for the four expired months of the fiscal year, which shows a large gain in net income in favor of 1870, warranting the belief that dividends will be declared on both classes of the stock at the directors' meeting in the coming month of November. In the Miscellaneous list Western Union was active, and fluctuated frequently but not widely. Express Stocks have been dull.

The following quotations were made as compared with Thursday night:

CLOSING QUOTATIONS—OCT. 21.

	Thursday.	Friday.
United States 10-40s	108⅞	108⅞
United States 6-20s of 1862	113⅜	113⅜
United States 5-20s of 1867	110⅝	110⅝
American Gold Coin	112⅞	112⅞
Bills on London, 60 days	108⅞	108⅞
New Bonds of Tennessee	60⅝	60⅝
N. Y. Central and Hudson	92⅝	92⅝
R. Y. C. & H. Debt Certificates	97⅞	97⅞
Reading Railroad	99⅝	100
Chicago and Rock Island	111⅝	111⅝
North west Common	51⅝	51⅝
North-west Preferred	60⅝	60⅝
Pacific Mail Company	44	44
St. Paul Preferred	81⅝	81⅝
St. Paul Common	54	55⅝
Lake Shore	94⅝	94⅝
Ohio and Mississippi	26⅝	26⅝
Toledo and Wabash	54	55⅝
Western Telegraph	41	41⅝

UNITED STATES TREASURY, NEW-YORK, Oct. 21.

Gold receipts	$219,[illegible] 60
Gold payments	1,000,849 05
Gold balance	93,297,284 21
Currency receipts	1,716,904 18
Currency payments	3,347,802 68
Currency balance	7,488,897 12
Customs	206,000 00

The following bids were made for the various Public Funds of the United States:

6 ⅌ cent. coup., '71	112⅝	5-20 coup., 1., '65	112⅝
6 ⅌ cent. coup., '81	112⅝	5-20 reg., '67	112⅝
5-20 reg., '62	113⅜	5-20 coup., '67	112⅝
5-20 coup., '62	113⅜	5-20 reg., '68	112⅝
5-20 reg., '64	113⅜	5-20 coup., '68	112⅝
5-20 coup., '64	113⅜	10-40 registered	108⅝
5-20 reg., '65	112⅝	10-40 coupon	108⅝
5-20 coup., '65	112⅝	6s Currency	111
5-20 reg., 1., '65	112⅝		

And the following for the State Bonds:

Tenn. 6s, ex coup	62⅝	Ohio 6 ⅌ cent., '81	112⅝
Tenn. 6s, new bds	62⅝	Ohio 5 ⅌ cent., '90	108⅝
Va. 6s, ex coup	52⅝	Ill. Canal bds	70
Va. 6s, new bds	52⅝	Ill. coup. 6s	72
Va. 6s, Deferred	5	Ill. coup. 6s, '66	100
Ga. 7s, new bds	80	Ill. War Loan	100
N. C. Funding Act, '68	32	Ind. 5 ⅌ cent. War L	100
N. C. new bds	27½	Ind. 5 ⅌ cent	100
N. C. consolidated	32½	Mich. 6 ⅌ cent. '72	100
South Carolina 6s	30½	Mich. 6 ⅌ cent. '83	100
S. C. new bds	68	Mich. 6 ⅌ cent. '90	100
Missouri 6s	91	Mich. 7 ⅌ cent. War L	100
Mo. H. & St. Jo. 1st	91	N. Y. 6s, Canal	72½
Louisiana 6s	70	N. Y. 6s, Canal L	72½
La. new bds	68	N. Y. 6s, Canal 1	72½
La. 6s, levee bds	68	N. Y. 6s, Canal 2	72½
California 6s	112	N. Y. 6s, Canal 3	72½
Connecticut 6s	100½	N. Y. 6s, Canal 4	72½
Rhode Island 6s	100½	N. Y. 6s, Canal 5	72½
Alabama 6s	101	N. Y. 6s, Canal 6	74½
Alabama 5s	80	N. Y. 6s, Canal 7	72½

And the following for the Railway Mortgages:

N. Y. Cen. 6s, '83	91	Tol. & Wab. 2d	84⅝
N. Y. Cen. 6s, '87	92	Tol. & Wab. Equip. 8s	79
N. Y. Cen. 6, Real	92	Tol., W. & W. C. G. 8s	88
N. Y. Cen. 7s, '76	101	Del., L. & W. 7s, '77	103
N. Y. Cen. 7s, '76, 1	101	Del., L. & W. 7s, '78	103
N. Y. Cen. 7s, '76, 2	101	Del., L. & W. 7s, '79	103
N. Y. Cen. 7s, '76, 3	101	Del., L. & W. 7s, '80	103
N. Y. Cen. 7s, '76, 4	101	Del., L. & W. 7s, '81	103
Erie 1st, R. & P.	90	Del., L. & W. 7s, '82	103
Erie 7s, 2d Mtg.	82	Del., L. & W. 7s, '83	103
Erie 7s, 3d Mtg.	82	Del., L. & W. 7s, '84	103
Erie 7s, 4th Mtg.	82	Del., L. & W. 7s, '85	103
Erie 7s, 5th Mtg.	82	Del., L. & W. 7s, '86	103
R., M. Y. & B. 1st, '79	75	Del., L. & W. 7s, '87	103
Hud. R. 7s, M. & S.	98	Del., L. & W. 7s, '88	103
Harlem 1st	90	Del., L. & W. 7s, '89	103
Harlem 2d, S. & S.	82	Del., L. & W. 7s, '90	103
Alb. & Susq. 1st Bds	107	Del., L. & W. 7s, '91	103
Alb. & Susq. 2d Bds	97	Del., L. & W. 7s, '92	103
Alb. & Susq. 3d Bds	82½	Del., L. & W. 7s, '93	103
Buffalo & Erie 1st	90	Del., L. & W. 7s, '94	103
Chi., R. I. & P. 6s	111½	Del., L. & W. 7s, '95	103
Mich. So. 7 ⅌ c. 2d	87	Morris & Essex 1st	105½
M. S. & N. I. 1st, Sp.	100½	Morris & Essex 2d	105½
Pacific R. of Mo. 1st	90	Dut. & Sus. Con. 1st	90
Cen. Pac. Gov. 6s	90½	St. L. & Iron Mt. Bds	87
Union Pac. 1st, Gr. 7s	72½	Mil. & St. P. 1st, 8s	103½
Ill. Cen. 7 ⅌ c. '70	102½	Mil. & St. P. 1st, 7-10	103½
Chi. & N. W. 1st, 7s	91½	Mil. & St. P. 2d	90
Chi. & N. W. Tol. Bds	82½	Mil. & St. P. Sinking	80
Chi. & N. W. Sinking	75½	Chi. & Mil. 1st	90
Chi. & N. W. Conv.	82	Chi. & Alton 1st	110
Chi. & N. W. Sp. Tax	102	Chi. & Alton 2d	90
Lack. & West. Bds	95	Tol., Pen. & W. R. D.	77
Del., Lack. & W. 1st	98	Tol., Pen. & W. W. D.	79
Del., Lack. & W. 2d	85	Tol., Pen. & W. 1st	67
Tol. & Wab. 1st est	41½	Tol., W. & W. R. D.	50
		Bos., H. & E. R. Con.	26
		C. Falls & Minn. 1st	90

And the following for the City Bank Stocks and Miscellaneous Shares:

New-York	130	Central National	104½
Manhattan	130	Fourth National	105½
Mechanics'	125	Tenth National	125
Union	125	Oriental	98
Ashland	90	Pacific Express	110
Tradesmen's	161	Del. & Hudson Canal	115½
National	116	Pennsylvania Coal	121
Metropolitan	130	Spring Mtn. Coal	40
Seventh Ward	110½	Cameron Co. Bituminous	40
State of New-York	105	Con. Coal of Maryland	21½
Commerce	52½	Quick. Coal & Iron	30
Broadway	160	West. Union Tel.	40½
Ocean	75	Quicksilver Mining	9
American Exchange	115	Mariposa Mining	12½
Chatham	100	Mariposa Preferred	16½
Hanover	101	Boston Water Power	15
Leather Manufacturers	140	Pacific Express	87½
Metropolitan	127	Wells, Fargo & Co.	57½
Greenwich	110	Wells, Fargo, Express	57½
Tradesmen's	115	American Express	62½
Market	120	Merchants' Union Ex	22
Manhattan	140	Pacific Mail	44½
Corn Exchange	93	N. Y. C. & Hud. R. R.	92½
Continental	94	N. Y. C. & East Orth.	97½
Importers & Traders	155½	Erie Railway	22
Park	115	Erie Preferred	45½
N. Y. Nat. Exch. Bk.	100		

PHILADELPHIA STOCKS—OCT. 21.

Telegraphed to E. D. Randolph & Co.

	Sat.	2 P.M.
City 6s, old	102½	102½
City 6s, new	102½	102½
Camden and Amboy	112½	112½
Pennsylvania Central	89½	89½
Reading	108½	108½
Lehigh Valley	58	58½
Catawissa Preferred	32½	32½
Philadelphia and Erie	30½	30½
Northern Central	41½	42
Lehigh Navigation	93½	93½
Lehigh Gold Loan	83½	83½

The following is the official exhibit of the earnings and expenses of the Chicago and Northwestern Railway Company for the first four months of the fiscal years 1869-70:

	Gross earnings.	Operating expenses, interest, rents, &c.	Net income.
	1869.	1869.	1869.
June	$1,251,300 04	$976,133 13	$275,217 03
July	1,117,056 38	1,005,955 21	311,101 17
August	1,257,072 12	959,534 83	247,326 02
September	1,306,672 79	826,534 88	480,137 89
Total	$4,732,035 33	$3,648,122 05	$1,105,913 07

BANKING AND FINANCIAL.

$1,900,000

OF SEVEN PER CENT. GOLD BONDS OF THE PORT ROYAL RAILROAD COMPANY. These bonds are secured by mortgage covering the railroad and the entire property and franchises of the Company, to the United Trust Company of New-York. They have twenty years to run, bear Seven per cent. interest, payable semi-annually, 1st May and 1st November, in New-York or London, at the option of the holder, FREE OF GOVERNMENT TAX, and both principal and interest are payable in Gold Coin. They are also convertible into the capital stock of the Company, at the option of the holder.

The road traverses the best districts of South Carolina, unites the harbor of Port Royal—the best harbor south of New-York—with the City of Augusta, Ga., and connects directly with all the railroads centering at that point, to the South and Southwest. Commencing at Seabrook, this road has the advantage of running through hundreds, nay, thousands, miles of the most productive cotton lands west of the Mississippi, which for years past have sent to this port 2½ to 3½ millions of bales annually, and which are other than lands in the low prices of all and extreme fertility in cotton. We are informed of the serious condition of the lands, and consequent cause, in the year, the cheapest first-class security in the market.

N. B.—Pamphlets and maps, giving further information, furnished on application.

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COMMERCIAL AFFAIRS.

NEW-YORK, Friday, Oct. 21, 1870.

The receipts of the principal kinds of produce, since our last, has been as follows:

Ashes, pkgs	22	Hops, bales	22
Beef, tcs., pkgs	72	Hides, No	64
Cotton, bales	1,842	Leather, sides	9,400
Copper, pigs	65	Corn, bbls	45
Dried Fruit, pkgs	80	Corn, sks	2,000
Eggs, pkgs	1,600	Lard, pkgs	100
Flour, bbls	15,627	Butter, pkgs	1,433
Corn-meal, bbls	100	Cheese, boxes	2,011
Corn, bushels	32,000	Tallow, pkgs	10
Oat-meal, bbls	100	Pork, bbls	8
Wheat, bushels	61,011	Tobacco, hhds	100
Oats, bushels	17,125	Tobacco, trns. and cs.	618
Grass-seed, bushels	45	Whiskey, bbls	1,000
Beans, bushels	20	Wool, bales	195
Peas, bushels	450	B. E. Peas, bags	15
		Sumac, bags	850

The export clearances since our last, as reported at the Merchants' Exchange, Pine-street, have been as follows:

BY SAIL—Ship Oreto, for Liverpool—52 bbls. Jewelry, 45 Ashes, 10 puncheons Syrup, 113 bbls. Syrup, 400 bags Oil-cake, 2 bbls. Tobacco, 200 bbls. Mechladen Oil, 120 boxes Clothpins, 1,527 pieces Logwood, 12 bbls. Potatoes, 1 bbl. Onions, 1 bbl. Vegetables, 100 bbls. Flour, 14,699 bushels Wheat.

By the bark J. Merlin, for Falmouth—40 hhds. Tobacco, 250 bbls. Rosin, 4,000 Staves.

By the bark Gustavus, for Cork and orders—1,500 bbls. Naphtha.

By the brig Juanita, for Palermo—27,000 Staves.

By the brig Leslie, for Santander—1,400 bbls. Rosin.

ASHES—Pots have been selling moderately at $6 12½@6 25. Pearls have been inactive and nominal at $6 50@6 62½.

BEEF HAM—Has been firm and in fair request at 23c.@24c. for Yellow, ⅌ lb.

BOOTS AND SHOES—The market has been quiet for all kinds of stock, but no important changes have been noticed in prices. We quote: Men's Quality Thick Boots at $3@$3 25; Boys' Quality, $2 75@$2 87½; Men's Calf, Pegged, $1 37½@$1 50; Men's Calf, Sewed, $1 62½

The New York Times.

NEW-YORK, SATURDAY, OCT. 22, 1870.

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ACADEMY OF MUSIC.
14th-st., corner Irving-place.
MACBETH. Leading characters by Miss Fanny Janauschek, Miss Fanny Morant, and Messrs. Montgomery, Robinson, Barth and Stanley.

WALLACK'S THEATRE.
Broadway, corner 13th-st.
TWO ROSES. Leading characters by Messrs. Chas. Fisher, Clark, Stoddart, Marlowe, Miss Ella German, Miss Emily Mestayer and Mrs. Bolton.

BOOTH'S THEATRE.
23d-st., corner 6th-av.
RIP VAN WINKLE. Leading characters by Messrs. Joseph Jefferson, Sheridan Anderson and Miss Mary Wells.
MATINEE at 1½ o'clock.

GRAND OPERA-HOUSE.
23d-st., corner 6th-av.
LA GRAND DUCHESSE. (Opera Bouffe.) Characters by Mme. Lea Gilly, Montaland, Manoni, Rillier, Sauvage, Gausins, Anthonymé others.
MATINEE at 2 o'clock—LA PETIT FAUST.

FIFTH-AVENUE THEATRE.
24th-st., near Broadway.
MAN AND WIFE. Characters by Messrs. Harkins, Lewis, Davidge, Miss Fanny Davenport and Miss Clara Morris.

NIBLO'S GARDEN.
Broadway, near Prince-st.
CAPT. CHARLOTTE'S and ANDY BLAKE. Leading character by Miss Lotta.
MATINEE at 2 o'clock.

OLYMPIC THEATRE.
Broadway, near Houston-st.
WEE WILLIE WINKIE. Characters by Messrs. G. L. Fox, Honeywood, Atkins, Miss Fanny Beane, Miss Sartos, Mrs. Yeomans, and others.
MATINEE at 2 o'clock.

FOURTEENTH-STREET THEATRE.
14th-st., near 6th-av.
MARY STUART. Leading character by Mme. Maria Seebach.

GLOBE THEATRE.
Broadway, near Waverley-place.
LUCRETIA BORGIA, M. D., BAILLET, &c. Characters by Miss Lisa Weber and company.
MATINEE at 2 o'clock.

LINA EDWIN'S THEATRE.
Broadway, near Waverley-place.
CINDERELLA and LA SOMNAMBULA.
MATINEE at 2 o'clock.

STADT THEATRE.
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NEWS OF THE DAY.

THE WAR.

The Prussians are reported to have evacuated Meaux and Beaugency. Contradictory statements are made as to their movements, but at Tours the impression prevails that they are going in that direction. A force of Prussians advancing on Amiens have returned to Breteuil. A Rouen dispatch says Gen. BOURBAKI passed through there yesterday on his way to Lille. The Prussians were forced to retire from Stenay by a sortie from Montmedy. A Berlin telegram says that at Verdun as at Paris the besieged are squandering their ammunition. A violent storm passed over Paris on the 20th inst. The French are shelling Meudon. The Papal Nuncio and the Colombian Minister had been refused permission to leave Paris by the Prussians. Communication with their Governments by foreign Ministers is required to be by open dispatches. According to a Tours dispatch the Prussians fired the Chateau of St. Cloud to conceal their depredations. The inhabitants of the town of St. Cloud say that all the valuables had disappeared before the fire broke out. Intrenched camps for the drilling of new troops are to be formed by the French, it is reported from Tours. Lyons is to be supplied with provisions for 75,000 men for two months. M. THIERS has returned to Tours.

The object of M. KERATRY's mission to Madrid is said to be to effect an alliance offensive and defensive between Spain and France, under representations that Italy will enter into such an alliance if Spain does.

GENERAL EUROPEAN NEWS.

The steam-ship *Cambria*, of the Anchor line, which left this City on the 8th inst., for Glasgow, struck on Innishtrahull Island, off the north coast of Ireland, on the 10th inst., and became a total wreck. A seaman who was picked up in a boat, in which also was the corpse of a young girl, states that four other boats left the wreck, but they had not been heard from at the date of the latest advices. His boat had been upset several times, and all but himself drowned.... The Italian Government has ordered MAZZINI to remain in Lucherna. The Catholic hierarchy of Great Britain have issued a protest against Italian occupation of Papal territory, and a movement for the intervention of the British Government is to be put in operation.... The 20th of October has been fixed for the entrance of the King of Italy into Rome. The Roman provinces are to be consolidated in one, with five prefectures. The Italian Minister at Washington has notified of the capture of Rome is no longer doubtful, but it needs the sanction of Parliament.... ALEXANDRE DUMAS, père, is in a state of incurability and believed to be dying, from paralysis, in a small town near Dieppe.... TORNEL'S newspaper organs in Madrid advise liberal reforms for Cuba. The candidature of the Duke of AOSTA for the throne, it is reported, has been definitely accepted.... RAINE, the composer, died yesterday, in London, aged sixty-two years.

GENERAL.

Advices have been received in Toronto from Fort Garry, Manitoba, that small-pox was raging in that region of the West, and that the Indians were dying by thousands, and their corpses were scattered over the Plains, filling the air with stench.

The President has appointed Thursday, the 24th of November next, to be a day of thanksgiving throughout the country.

Senator MORTON's friends say he will decline the Mission to London, if he has not already done so.

A fire in Fremont-street, San Francisco, on the 20th inst., destroyed three mills and nine other buildings, throwing 300 men out of employment. Three men, it is feared, were burned. The loss is over $200,000.

The First National Gold Bank of San Francisco, was organized on the 20th inst.

Ladies have been refused admittance to membership in the California Medical Society.

Mr. MEDILL, of the Chicago Tribune, withdrawn from the field of candidates before the Congressional Convention of the Third District of Illinois, for the reason that he would be likely to be opposed by means and influences which he cannot consent to combat, and by appliances which render the free and unbiased selection of a candidate simply impossible.

Major ASBURY, of the United States Army, died on Wednesday, in Jacksonville, Ill., after a few hours' illness, of paralysis.

The shock of the earthquake was so great in Montreal that bells were rung in the public buildings, and Judges precipitately left their rooms in the Court-house. Chimney-tops were thrown down in Quebec, and the spire of St. Paul's Church, Toronto, was seen to sway back and forth. Throughout the Dominion the shock was quite distinct.

The deaths from yellow fever in New-Orleans on Thursday were twelve.

The bark *William Rathbone*, of New-York, was wrecked on the 11th inst. eleven miles north of Hillsboro Inlet, Fla., Capt. DOANE and three of the crew were picked up by the steam-ship *Mississippi* and taken to New-Orleans. Capt. DOANE reports that he picked up a plank inscribed "*Margaret* leaking," from which it is inferred that this steamer, which sailed from New-Orleans Oct. 5 for New-York, with 1,872 bales of cotton, has also been lost. Neither the *Rathbone* nor the *Margaret* carried passengers. The Captain of the *Mississippi* picked up a life-preserver marked "*Margaret*."

Some Popular Delusions.

In former times, before we had arrived at our present high stage of civilization, and consequently before HOFFMAN was Governor and TWEED Grand Vizier, it used to be thought that elections were designed to call forth an honest expression of popular opinion. That was one of our grandfathers' cobwebby ideas. We are wiser now. TWEED, SWEENY, and HALL, the three Graces, find it perfectly safe to defy the public to get at any means of making known their actual views on current affairs. "The ballot-box is certain to give us purity of election," Mr. THOMAS HUGHES will once more hear, when he sets back to his native fogs. Now, let Mr. HUGHES open his eyes while he is still in a clear atmosphere, and consider this truth, which almost any one about him will be able to corroborate: the rulers over this City, and virtually over this State, manufacture as many votes as they please, send armed ruffians to the polls to keep honest citizens away, stuff the boxes with false ballots, and generally "roll up" precisely what majority they think will answer their purpose. We are going to try to alter all that by virtue of a law of Congress next November. But even now TWEED, SWEENY, and HALL are singing hymns of rejoicing, like the cherubim and seraphim, whom they very much resemble—especially TWEED—over the fact that they have bribed right and left, buying up voters by the score, purchasing corrupt Republicans, and turning callow emigrants into full-fledged citizens. It is like a conjuror's trick—one minute your man is a stranger in the land, the next he has his naturalization papers tucked under his arm and a forum of whisky under his waistcoat. "Tammany will spend a million on this election," says one authority. Why not? Seeing that the million is all stolen from the people—as completely stolen as if their houses had been broken into and robbed—the expenditure will not trouble our dear friends and benefactors, TWEED, SWEENY, and HALL. We are truly indebted to them. In the words of the Eastern salutation, may a jackass never sit on their grandmothers' graves.

Another popular delusion is that the Police force is intended for the protection of honest citizens and the enforcement of the laws. Ask "BEN" MANIERRE and "HANK" SMITH about that. These two men are nominally Republicans. In reality—it is best not to mince the matter—they are black-hearted traitors—miserable, sneaking, hypocritical hirelings of Tammany, doing all the dirty work of the dirtiest section of the Democratic Party, and doing it with all the more success because they wear the Republican uniform. It is for that reason that they are hired—because they are willing to betray the party they pretend to serve into the hands of its enemies. They put the Police on a service which is absolutely without precedent in any free community. That is to say—they station them at the meeting places of delegates to keep those delegates out of the room, while admitting the agents of Tammany Hall. In short, the Police force is today being employed to suppress one of the most cherished of popular rights. It is turned into an agency of oppression of the most intolerable and galling kind. We may (or may not) be proud of the fact that we are about the only community in this or any other country which would quietly submit to that shameful outrage.

A third popular delusion is that Judges are intended to administer the laws. Let any one bring a suit against TWEED, SWEENY, FISK, Jr., or any of that goodly fellowship, so lovely and pleasant in their lives, and so little likely to be divided *after* death—and he will very soon find out his mistake. Let the suitor go into "Room 12," and see what he could do there. Let him go to the General Term, and try his luck there. Everywhere he will find that Justice is inaccessible to him, while constantly holding out her dirty and ironing palms to the members of the Ring, and never holding them out in vain.

Still another popular delusion is that an account of the City expenditure is due at stated intervals from the Controller's Department. All a mistake! Any man who came here and told us that would be instantly clapped into an asylum for idiots. The Controller, Mr. RICHARD CONNOLLY by name, alias "Slippery Dick," does not publish any statement of accounts. *There is an immense deficiency in his department—amounting, it is reported, to between four and five millions of dollars*, every dollar of which belongs to the public. That is the kind of "management" under which this City is placed. The servants of the firm make away with as much money as they want, garble the books, and look their employers out of the office. This is an age of progress. A huge deficit in a man's accounts used to put him in rather an ugly position. Now it is a mere affair to laugh at over a bowl of punch in Mr. TWEED's "palatial" stables, while FISK, Jr., tells stories of his peddler days, and the *World* chokes itself with dirt-pie.

Again, it used to be supposed that an organization which professed to watch over the public interests, like the "Citizens' Association"—President, Mr. PETER COOPER, most estimable man—would at least keep its own skirts free from corruption. Alas! This also is vanity and vexation of spirit. The Citizens' Association has been transferred to TWEED, SWEENY & Co. Its Secretary, Mr. Facing-Both-Ways SANDS, has coolly helped himself to an appointment of $10,000 a year, put his sons into fat offices, and *gagged* the Citizens' Association, Mr. PETER COOPER and all, as the price of his subserviency. It was one of the most adroit feats of the kind ever performed, and the trick is made all the more amusing from the fact that although Mr. PETER COOPER and his friends are put into a bag and hung round TWEED's neck, they pop their heads out every now and then, and expect to see SANDS expose the misdeeds of the men at whose table he daily eats his fill of solid pudding. They still fancy that the watch-dog will bark after he has been drugged by the thieves. So much for simplicity of nature. There really is no end of it in these days. It is getting to be too good a world to live in. Everybody is so guileless that it is like being once more in the Garden of Eden. We are carried back to the early days of mankind. The evils which we have endured with much travail of spirit, turn out to be only nightmares. There is no Governor of the State signing bills to enable men to swindle their dupes. No ex-chairmakers combine with a few cronies to tax a great City for the benefit of their own pockets. Corrupt Judges are not yet invented. It is the golden age again. This is the Arabian Nights' entertainment to which Mr. PETER COOPER invites us. We behold him folding the "Hon." TWEED to his heart, and calling him our only hope, while Mr. SANDS stands in the background with his tongue in his cheek. As for the public, little care the performers what it thinks of the performance. TWEED sits on its back, and drives the iron spike into its neck, just as the feeblest man can drive the strongest elephant when once the noble creature is properly broken in.

The Earthquake.

On the afternoon of Saturday, June 25, a slight tremor was felt in New-York and its vicinity, which was popularly held to have been an earthquake. The evidence, however, appears to have been insufficient to justify the record of a New-York earthquake at that time as an historical fact, although many persons insisted that the motion they had felt could be attributed to nothing else. Last Thursday morning, at a time variously estimated from 11½ to 11¾, a similar phenomenon was experienced. Persons in different parts of the City, and more particularly in the neighborhood of Centre-street, felt shocks, described as lasting from three to fifteen seconds. Chandeliers were violently shaken; chairs and desks were thrown down. People in many places rushed terror-stricken into the street. There were stampedes from some school-houses, the children running forth in fright, and some of their number being thrown down and trampled under foot. In some instances articles as heavy as sewing-machines were upset, and in one the leg of a piano is said to have been fractured. Many clocks stopped. Rocking-chairs flew swiftly back and forth, and ornaments fell from tables and mantels. The large bell of the Post-office oscillated, and finally the clapper struck the rim of the bell—for the first time without human agency. A case is reported in which a fruit-stand was dashed to the ground, and another of a lady being similarly treated as she was about to enter a car. Other cases are mentioned of pedestrians being thrust into involuntary collision. Buildings were shaken slightly from side to side, and in a few instances—the most notable being at the corner of Division and Catharine streets—masonry was cracked and foundations unsettled. Women fainted in different parts of the town, and one in her terror jumped out of a window, and sustained some injury. Steeples and other tall structures are said to have swayed perceptibly in various localities, creating much consternation. Numbers of people were made quite ill, as if from sea-sickness, the nausea lasting for an hour or more after the shocks. It will thus be seen that whatever doubt may have attached to the phenomenon of the 25th of June, there can be none whatever respecting that of Oct. 20.

During the afternoon and evening telegraphic dispatches were received from many quarters, which would have set the matter at rest had there existed any question regarding it. From Quebec, Montreal, and St. Catharine's, in Canada, to Philadelphia, Scranton, and Titusville, in Pennsylvania; from Portland and Bangor, on the east, to Cleveland and Cincinnati, on the west, corroborative testimony poured in, showing that the convulsion, if not very terrible in effect, had been very wide in range, and certainly quite unprecedented in the annals of the regions it visited. The accounts from all those places, as well as from Boston, Albany, Providence and other towns throughout New-York and New-England, correspond with what was observed in the Metropolis. No lives were lost, and little serious damage was done, but the inhabitants were much alarmed, and concurred in the opinion that no such visitation had before been observed in their section. So far as we are at present advised, the earthquake extended from the Atlantic Ocean to the great lakes east and west, and from the St. Lawrence to the Susquehanna north and south. The personal experiences reported from various points are curiously similar. People thought themselves attacked by sudden vertigo or neuralgia, and some elderly persons imagined they were to be afflicted with a stroke of paralysis. As regards time, most of the accounts from places on our own meridian are nearly in agreement. A comparison, however, of the hours assigned at spots differing most widely in longitude, leads to definite conclusions as to the earthquake's direction. Thus, the dispatches from Detroit and Cleveland fix the moment at 11 o'clock, and that from Cincinnati says 10½. The Boston account declares the convulsion to have occurred at precisely 11:23. At Portland, the time stated is 11:25. Hartford has it at 11:21, and Providence at 11:27. The movement, or wave, therefore, passed, generally speaking, from the south-west to the north-east, and took something like half an hour in its transit.

There seems to be some difference of opinion respecting former earthquakes in the regions now so visited. It is said that slight shocks have been felt in New-York before, on Sept. 9, 1848, and March 18, 1852; at Buffalo, Oct. 22, 1857, and throughout New-England, Oct. 23, 1869. Besides these, there is the doubtful earthquake of the 25th of June, 1870, already mentioned. It is also affirmed that records exist of two earthquakes in Boston, and presumably in its vicinity, which occurred Nov. 18, 1755, and March 12, 1761. That much graver disturbances of this nature have been felt in remoter times in this region, is certain. There are in various parts of the country geological evidences of the fact. The great chasm that runs from the western base of the Shawangunk Mountain, at Ellenville, in Ulster County, New-York, for nearly 3,000 yards, to the top, is a remarkable illustration. It is not difficult to find, in truth abundant evidence that the popular theory which confines earthquakes to southerly or tropical regions is a mistaken one. The instances cited in these columns on the 3d of July last, are sufficiently conclusive on this point. Both England (the last time in 1860) and Ireland have been repeatedly so visited. In 1580 part of St. Paul's and the Temple churches were leveled by an earthquake in London. The devastation in the Japanese Islands in 1854-5, and in Chili in 1868, is remembered by all. These casualties, well out of the tropics, and, in the first instance, at places much further toward the pole than ourselves, clearly show that there is only comparative immunity from earthquakes in the temperate zones. It is true that in our northern homes we have no chronicles of awful catastrophes, like those of Lisbon, in 1755, or Pekin, in 1662 and 1731, but if no such thing has heretofore befallen in the historic period, there is no certainty that it will not happen at all. On the contrary, the doctrine of chances might teach that so long an exemption argued the probability of an impending change. In California, as we all know, earthquakes have, of late, been many and severe. And as the general direction of these perturbations on the American Continent appears to be from west to east, and as we know from the Lisbon example that their disastrous effects will sometimes range through a space of thousands of miles, it is quite possible that a great earthquake may one day extend from the Pacific to the Atlantic. It is a strange and interesting fact—the authority is that of the well-known Mr. MALLET—that the catalogue of earthquakes recorded equals in number the years of the Mosaic record. That none of these six thousand convulsions has ever done us any harm, furnishes no assurance of permanent security.

Two or three physical incidents of note preceded at short intervals the earthquake of Thursday, and their possible connection with it warrants consideration. There were, in the first place, within a few days, unusually brilliant displays of the aurora borealis. Just prior to this, extraordinary freshets inundated our middle belt of States. The great Cuban hurricane came before the earthquake by not many hours, and, finally, a great gale raged on the Atlantic coast on the night immediately preceding. It may be that these incidents were totally unconnected so far as their causes are concerned, with the main event of which we write. But the discoveries of modern science are so constantly establishing the co-ordination and mutual inter-dependence of the powers of nature, that a connection between these phenomena looks plausible, and may hereafter be demonstrated.

A Very Bad Memory.

Mr. JAMES BROOKS' memory is at fault—we will say his memory, for of course he could not intentionally deceive. Addressing his Tammany friends of the Eighth Congressional District, in response to his renomination, he claimed credit for himself and his party on account of services rendered last session in connection with the reduction of taxes. Here is what the *World* reports him to have said on the subject:

"No district throughout the whole country, except one in Massachusetts, has been so relieved from taxation as the Eighth of New-York. Not only have I done service to wealthy men in obtaining reduction of their income and other taxes, but to the laboring men as well, in obtaining reduction of the tax upon the gross receipts of railroads, thus lowering their fares, and in various other ways."

How the *World*, which has persistently declared that no substantial relief has been afforded to the tax-payers, will relish this confession of Mr. BROOKS, we leave the parties concerned to determine. In this aspect of the controversy Mr. BROOKS is right and the *World* wrong. There has been a very large reduction of taxes, and the working men of New-York derive their full share of benefit from the reform. But they are not in any manner indebted to Mr. BROOKS. His self-praise on Thursday night is not borne out by the Congressional records. For on turning to the division in the House on the Tax Relief bill, as reported from the Committee of Conference, we find that forty-seven of the fifty-two Democrats present voted against the Bill, and among the forty-seven we find the name of Mr. JAMES BROOKS.

So far as the diminution of their burdens is concerned, then, the citizens of New-York owe no thanks to him. The reduction was effected in spite of him. So, again, when the President's Message, recommending liberal legislation in respect of registering foreign-built ships, was under consideration, Mr. BROOKS was one of the chief speakers against the measure. The commerce and working men of New-York suffer today from the blind policy which Mr. BROOKS sustained. Flowery speeches cannot get rid of facts like these. Mr. BROOKS is going the right way to be beaten, and if he does not tell the truth no one will pity him.

Morrissey, O'Brien and Hoffman—A Political Reminiscence.

A brief retrospect of the political history of Gov. HOFFMAN cannot fail to be useful, if only in showing how great a difference a few years may make in his opinions, and in the opinions of the men who "run" him. At present the Governor and his friends are unable to find words to express their contempt for JOHN MORRISSEY and JAMES O'BRIEN; but once the case was very different.

In 1865, during the contest for the Mayoralty, between HOFFMAN, ROBERTS, GUNTHER and HECKER, an Executive Committee was formed by the Tammany leaders for the purpose of promoting the election of HOFFMAN. The committee was composed of JOHN MORRISSEY, ISAAC BELL, WILLIAM M. TWEED, PETER B. SWEENY, OAKEY HALL, and others of the Ring, and met in daily consultation with Mr. HOFFMAN to devise means to insure his success.

At that time MORRISSEY, with his usual enthusiasm and liberality, opened his purse freely, and it was amusing to outside Democrats, who happened to be present at the meeting of this Committee, to hear the affectionate manner in which the affable BELL and others were in the habit of addressing Mr. MORRISSEY. It was "JOHNNY, what had we better do about this?" "JOHNNY, what had we better do about that?" and particularly, "JOHNNY, can you suggest any way of raising money to accomplish so and so?" Thus it went on until the night of election, when the Committee met at head-quarters, at the Everett House, where, as the returns came in, JOHN MORRISSEY was the great central figure. Immediately about him were grouped Messrs. TWEED, SWEENY, HALL & Co., while HOFFMAN was anxiously waiting at his hotel across the street for five-minute bulletins of the vote from MORRISSEY. So at the Democratic State Convention at Albany in 1867, JOHN MORRISSEY was prominent in the support of HOFFMAN for Governor, and was a party to all the councils of the Ring. JOHN MORRISSEY was then all that could be desired. Mr. SWEENY's private organ, the *Leader*, was in the habit of weekly styling him as "honest," "true," and "benevolent." At the next election, Messrs. TWEED, HOFFMAN & Co., backed by the Ring, considered Mr. MORRISSEY's services had been so important as not only to make him a good enough man to send to Congress from TWEED's own district, but to require them to renominate him, and the panegyrics of his virtues were profuse on the part of SWEENY, HALL & Co. in the columns of the New-York *Leader* throughout the canvass.

At the election for Sheriff, in 1868, MORRISSEY was in favor of JOSEPH SHANNON, third President of the Board of Aldermen. He declared that the Ring had promised the nomination to SHANNON. JAMES O'BRIEN was also a candidate, and had shown so much political strength that the Ring judged it safer to conciliate him than to keep faith with MORRISSEY, and SHANNON was accordingly thrown overboard—an act which, although it secured O'BRIEN's support, rendered MORRISSEY an enemy; the effort made by the Ring to conciliate him, by removing the venerable DAVID T. VALENTINE as Clerk of the Common Council, and appointing JOSEPH SHANNON in his place, proving of no effect. At once all the affection and respect that had been manifested for MORRISSEY, was transferred to O'BRIEN. He was put upon all the Committees of the Ring, and let into the most secret councils. It was "JIMMY, how about this, and that," just as it had been "JOHNNY" the year before with MORRISSEY. The vote for Sheriff, between O'BRIEN and Judge CONNOLLY, (then denounced by the Ring as "Blathering MIKE," but now restored to the bosom of Tammany, and affectionately dubbed "Hon. MICHAEL CONNOLLY," and occupying the lucrative position of City Register,) was close, and the result doubtful. On the evening of the election, when the vote was being received, Mr. O'BRIEN was at the Police head-quarters in close consultation with TWEED, SWEENY, HOFFMAN & Co., and when the result was finally ascertained, the now exclusive Gov. HOFFMAN got into a carriage with JAMES O'BRIEN, and they drove off together, among the cheers of the admiring spectators.

Since that time, however, a change has come over the spirit of the dreams of Messrs. HOFFMAN, TWEED & Co. Mr. O'BRIEN has dared to possess a will of his own, and has refused to bend in mute obedience to their behests. For this he has been ostracized. In place of the affectionate "JIMMY," he is subjected to every kind of foul attack. The gentlemen of the Ring are at a loss to express their horror of the idea that either he or MORRISSEY can have the audacity to interfere in politics. They consider "their social standing so low," "their pursuits so debased," and "their education so inferior," that outsiders, who are aware that it is to the exertions, influence and money of these men that HOFFMAN, TWEED & Co. owe their present positions, do not know whether most to marvel at their assurance or their ingratitude.

We might add that JOHN FOX, WILLIAM C. BARRETT, Supervisor HAYES, Judge HOGAN, HENRY L. CLINTON, and ROSWELL D. HATCH, and a host of others were all "honorable men" when they trained with Tammany Hall, but when they refused to comply with its orders, the Ring denounced them as "incompetent," and as "vile representatives of the dangerous classes."

Two Questions.

1. What is the amount of the City revenue bonds now out?

2. Are they like Erie stock, manipulated at pleasure by the Ring?

Simple as these questions appear, the City authorities dare not answer them. One of our correspondents tells us that we ought to bring more specific charges against our worthy masters. Messrs. TWEED, SWEENY, and CONNOLLY will scarcely agree with that suggestion—but at any rate we charge them now with intentionally keeping the public in ignorance of the amount of City revenue bonds issued, and with treating the bonds much as JAMES FISK, Jr., treats Erie stock. This amounts to a very serious charge of defrauding the public. In other words, in this matter of the City bonds, the "Ring" are acting dishonestly. Twist the words as much as you please, and the gravity of the charge is unaltered.

But TWEED, SWEENY, and CONNOLLY will submit to it with Christian fortitude, and when we smite them on one cheek will meekly turn to us the other. They fully agree with the philosopher who remarked that when a man was accused of committing a crime, nothing sustained him like the sweet consciousness of guilt.

We deeply regret to announce that the report of the loss of the steam-ship *Cambria*, of the Anchor line, is fully confirmed. A boat has been picked up, containing a sailor and the corpse of a girl—the sailor, named GARTLAND, being apparently the only survivor out of the entire ship's company. There were 127 cabin passengers on board—men, women and children. The *Cambria* sailed for Glasgow, from this port, on the 6th of October, and appears to have struck on Innistrahull, on the coast of Ireland. Five boats containing passengers were launched, but no tidings have yet been heard of them. We may still hope, however, that some of them have been picked up. The vessel was one of 2,400 tons burden, and in all respects well fitted for the service in which she was engaged. Further particulars of the disaster may enable us to judge whether the Captain or any of the officers were at fault.

The admirable speech delivered last night by Mr. THOMAS HUGHES, M. P., will be read with great interest, and we hope not without profit, by all who are interested in the greatest problem of our times—that which is called the "Labor problem." Mr. HUGHES has compressed a vast amount of information into his modest address, and consequently it will be found worthy of careful study. This is the last speech we shall have from him, since he sails today for England. Everywhere he has made cordial friends, and if the public admired him before, they have something like an affection for him now. He has been perfectly straightforward and manly in his short intercourse with us—expressing his opinions with candor, rather than trying to win the favor of any particular class or "set." These are the men who do good in coming to this country—who help us to forget that there are such beings in the world as LAIRD and ROEBUCK. If the editors of the London *Spectator* were to visit the United States, they would deserve as hearty a welcome as Mr. HUGHES has received, for they pleaded the cause of the Union persistently and fearlessly, when there were few to utter a word in its favor. The names of TOWNSEND and HUTTON ought to be better known here than they are, as Mr. HUGHES would doubtless gladly testify. They are the names of men who risked everything for the sake of their opinions. Nor would it be just to forget the services which Mr. RICHARD GRANT WHITE rendered to the Union cause in his well-known "Yankee" letters, also published in the *Spectator*. They were letters which largely helped to control public opinion in England at that time, and to restrain the Ministry from adopting the insane course which a few members of the House of Commons urged upon them.

Mayor HALL has sent us, for publication, a short and obscurely-worded letter, addressed by him to HORACE GREELEY, accompanied by a much longer one from ROBERT MURRAY to the same gentleman, and both having reference to the silly charge revived by the Mayor against Gen. WOODFORD in connection with the bark *Augusta*. We decline to print either:—*first*, because the charge was thoroughly investigated at the time by Judge SHIPMAN, a Democrat, who, after full examination of all the evidence that Mr. MURRAY and others could bring, pronounced it utterly groundless; *secondly*, because our columns have contained, within a week, an explicit denial of the charge by another Democrat, who knew all about the circumstances connected with it; and *thirdly*, because we have made many graver charges against Mayor HALL's candidate for Governor, as well as against his fellow-Democrats in office here, which neither he nor they have attempted to refute. When they have answered these charges we may, perhaps, be induced to disprove, once more, the already-exploded charge against Gen. WOODFORD—and not before.

The *Pall Mall Gazette* is indignant at the prospect of Mr. MOZLEY's appearance in London as Mr. MOTLEY's successor. "A thoroughly incompetent person," the *Gazette* pronounces the Indiana Senator; and then it is said he is "selected to represent the United States in England, and is instructed first to bully and next to threaten war." If the London critic had known what he was writing about, he would have been aware that among the public men of this country Mr. MOZLEY stands conspicuous for ability, for force of character, and for that fitness which proceeds from thorough knowledge of and complete sympathy with the people whom an American diplomatist is supposed to represent. Such a man would probably bring outstanding differences to an issue, and would be faithful to the rights and interests of his country, rather than a sycophantic worshiper of a foreign aristocracy. It is not certain that Mr. MOZLEY will go to England, after all; but if he should, the United States will have no reason to be ashamed of their representative.

The resolution offered by RUFUS ANDREWS, in the Tammany Republican camp on Thursday night, requesting the State Committee to "prosecute the campaign with greater zeal and efficiency," reminds one of HORATIO SEYMOUR's claims, while he was Governor, for a "more vigorous prosecution of the war." As the General Government, in 1863, was compelled to turn aside from its work of putting down the rebellion, to suppress a treasonable insurrection of Gov. SEYMOUR's "friends," so the State Committee finds it necessary to devote a portion of its time to thwarting the treasonable plots of "Rufe" ANDREWS and his fellow-hirelings of the Tammany Ring. Is it not time to extirpate these snakes in the grass, one and all?

Support of the Canal Funding bill does not imply support of the Democratic ticket. In fact, before one of the propositions yesterday adopted by the Produce Exchange can be made tenable, the Democratic members of the Canal Board must give place to Republicans. "The revenues of the canals, after the reduction of the tolls," say the gentlemen of the Produce Exchange,—"will be sufficient to pay the principal and interest of the funded debt without resort to direct taxation." The policy of funding the debt and extending the period for its redemption is wholly independent of partisanship. Republicans and Democrats may well be divided in regard to it. But certain facts admit of no dispute. One is, that under ten years of Republican management the canals contributed seventeen millions toward the reduction of the debt. The other is, that under Democratic management the canals are barely paying expenses, and before the close of the year will entail a loss upon the State. The Democrats must be expelled from office if the canal debt is ever to be paid.

WASHINGTON.

The Tammany Republicans Removed from Office—Illness of Senator Cameron—The New Transportation Law—Examination of Supernumerary Officers—Miscellaneous.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 21.—It is exceedingly probable that the motive which induced Mr. GEORGE W. VAN CLEFT to offer a resolution in the Tammany Republican County Convention last night, indorsing Gen. GRANT's Administration, was inspired by a premonition of a loss of his official bread and butter. After his disgraceful action last Monday night, as President of the Eighteenth Assembly District Republican Association, orders were given here by a gentleman, who has something to say in such things, to ascertain if Mr. VAN CLEFT was still holding an official position at the Navy-yard, and if so, to dismiss him at once. If he was doing Tammany's work, he must eat Tammany's dirt. Postmaster JOHNS promptly dismissed every Tammany adherent in his employ, and his action was promptly approved here.

ILLNESS OF SENATOR CAMERON.

Some sensation was caused here, this afternoon, by a telegraphic dispatch from Baltimore, announcing that Senator CAMERON had been stricken down by paralysis, in that city, and taken on to Harrisburg in a special car, in a critical condition. The news was received at the White House during the Cabinet session, and was the subject of universal comment and regret.

[A private dispatch received in New-York last night denies this report, and adds that Senator CAMERON is at home in Harrisburg enjoying his usual good health. The report of the affliction caused intense excitement in political circles in Philadelphia.]

THE NEW TRANSPORTATION LAW.

No application to be bonded under the new law, permitting direct importation to interior ports has been received at the Treasury Department from any railroad line. It is thought probable at the department that some companies which already have bonds on file for the transportation of bonded goods, which have been examined and appraised at the port of original entry, are not aware that special bonds are required of them under the new law.

EXAMINATION OF SUPERNUMERARY OFFICERS.

Gen. HANCOCK, President of the Board to examine supernumerary officers, arrived here today, and the Board will commence its sessions early next week. About 400 officers are on the lists to be ordered before it. The law provides that each of these must have the privilege of being heard on the merits of his own case before being reported for muster out, and that the reduction in the number of officers must be made by the 1st of January—two provisions which are now exciting remark in view of the fact that, if such supernumerary officer should insist upon his right to be heard, it might take a year to complete the examinations.

SENATOR MORTON AND THE ENGLISH MISSION.

A member of the House from Indiana, just arrived here, reports that Sen. MORTON, whom he saw at Indianapolis just before starting, assured him he had no intention of going abroad as Minister to England.

Dispatch to the Associated Press.

A FORGED LETTER.

Mr. BUTLER, Consul-General at Alexandria, has informed the Department of State that he has seen in the New-York *Sun* a letter over his signature, addressed to the editor of that paper, which letter he stigmatizes as a forgery. He represents that a private letter of his, and marked as such, has been surreptitiously obtained, the address and official signature forged, and the text garbled, and that this has been made the basis of the publication to which reference is made.

THE BRITISH MISSION.

From letters received today it is uncertain when Senator MORTON will visit Washington. His intimate friends say he will decline the mission to England, if he has not already done so.

FIFTEEN YEARS' BUSINESS IN THE TREASURY.

The Treasury Department has just issued a statement of the receipts and the expenditures of the Government by warrants, from July, 1855, to Jan. 20, 1870: The total receipts were $6,662,765,000, including $2,745,516,000 from loans and Treasury notes. The net expenditures were $

TOM BROWN'S FAREWELL.

Lecture of Thomas Hughes, M. P., at Cooper Institute.

The Progress of the Labor Movement in England.

Brief Account of the Trades-Unions—The Success of the Co-operative System—Sound Advice to American Workmen—No Necessity for Serfdom in this Country.

THOMAS HUGHES, M. P., England, lectured last evening at Cooper Institute, before one of the largest and most respectable audiences ever assembled within its walls. The platform was crowded with many of the most prominent merchants, members of the legal, medical and clerical professions, to do honor to a representative Englishman of the class that showed sympathy with the Union in the late civil war. At 8¼ o'clock, Mr. HUGHES, accompanied by Mr. CODMAN and Mr. BORDEN, President of the Mercantile Library, and Chairman of the evening, entered the hall, and were received with enthusiastic cheers.

The Chairman introduced Mr. HUGHES in a few appropriate remarks.

Mr. HUGHES said: I am afraid, my friends, that the title of this lecture may have misled, more or less, some of those who are here this evening, and may have hindered others from coming. The words, "Work and Wealth," are apt to rouse very different trains of thought in twenty minds, but to the most of us they suggest at once that science which has been very fitly called the dismal science, and which has for its aim to teach the laws by which the production and consumption of wealth are governed. Let me at once relieve your minds then by stating that I am not about to give you a lecture on political economy in the ordinary sense of the term. Were I competent to do so, I should think I should most certainly shrink from attempting before an audience whom I am addressing for the first time to-night, and to whom I may never speak again. You will not have to endure any discussion as to the right principles of taxation, currency, the balance of trade, or any of the other deeply interesting and important subjects which the economist has to deal with. I hope even to avoid the great controversy between protection and free trade, which every one must see is likely to occupy a large share of the attention of your people before long. My object is of a less ambitious kind. I propose and hope to approach my subject from its human rather than from its economic side; to give you history rather than discussion. Of course that history will be English, but in this matter the experience of England should be of value to all other nations, and above all to you, who among the first-class Powers of the world are the only one blessed as she is with those free institutions which leave the people to settle economical and social questions for themselves without the intervention of a paternal government, then, to give you the broad outlines of the great labor movement in England during the time, now reaching nearly a quarter of a century, that I have been intimately acquainted with it. In one sense, at least, I have no fear of obtaining your sympathy. In no other country in the world is the belief in the future, in the certain progress of our race toward a better state of things here, on this much-abused and patient old earth on which we all find ourselves—so strong, so undoubting, as in these United States. You know, as Saturnian age, decried and by the imagination of poets, to look back upon and to sigh for; you know we wish for any such, so far as I have been able to discover. The key-note of your highest inspiration has been hope, and faith in man and his destiny. "Let the dead past bury its dead, and come hither and work in the living present, all who can find neither room or work elsewhere." This I take to be your peculiar cry to the poor and the nations, and they are answering and flocking in, of all creds and races and colors.

"Men, my brothers, men, the workers, ever working
something new,
The things they have done but earnest of the things
which they shall do."

Well, then, you whose golden age lies right in front, will, I am sure, rejoice in any evidence, even from the Old World, that confirms your own faith in the future, and I know of nothing in history more cheering in itself, or more calculated to confirm faint hearts and strengthen feeble knees, than the advance in prosperity and wisdom of the classes in my own country, since I can remember them. The great portion of our time, how those who live by the sweat of their brow, and who must always form the vast majority of every human society, can be put in their right place, under conditions of life which Christian civilization need not be ashamed of, without injustice to the rest of the great brotherhood, has no longer much terror for us at home. How far we have succeeded in solving it I hope to show you, so far as it can be done in the course of an hour; and I shall be indeed rejoiced if, on the eve of my departure from your country, in which I have seen and learnt so much, and have received such extraordinary kindness, I can tell your people anything which may render their paths along the same road somewhat less perilous and stormy than ours has been.

LABOR MOVEMENT IN ENGLAND.

In England the war between labor and capital has lasted, with occasional lulls, for upward of five hundred years. Far back in those dim old Plantagenet times we find the trace of that war on the statute-book, and in the pages of the Chroniclers. The Statute of Laborers and other acts endeavored to fix the rate of wages, and the conditions under which humbler men should be allowed to dispose of this labor. After the black death had devastated the southern and eastern counties, the most stringent laws were passed in the hope of checking the rise of wages which that fearful calamity had caused. Scarcely more than one smith or carpenter in four was left in some of the fairest and most populous of English districts; but king and baron, and bishop and merchant could see no reason why they should have to pay more for the skill of one survivor. The first great strike of which we have any record whatever, so far as I know, took place among the masons and other artificers employed in building Windsor Castle under WILLIAM of Wickham. They left their work and scattered over the neighboring counties; but the Sheriffs of Berks, Bucks and Surrey soon brought them back in obedience to the peremptory mandate of King EDWARD, and savage punishment—in one instance, I regretly remember, the last penalty of death—was inflicted on the ringleaders. And so the vicious system went on for centuries through the Tudor and Stuart and Hanoverian times. Now and then, as liberal counsels prevailed and wiser statesmen were at the head of affairs, there would be attempt at legislation in the interests of labor to break the dull record of short-sighted selfishness. But not until our own age had come did it occur to our statesmen and people that the only wise thing for the country represented in its Legislature was to stand aside and let alone the rates of wages and the condition of labor to be settled by those most interested. It was not a moment too soon. The great war of the Revolution had thrown nearly all the producing trade of Europe into the hands of England, and the rapid accumulation of wealth and the inventions in machinery had enabled the work-people together in large factories. Secret societies sprung up all over the Kingdom in defiance of the law, and when the bad years had followed the peace of 1815 and wages fell and fearful distress prevailed, violent outrages, arsons, even murder, arising out of trades disputes, became fearfully common. At last, in 1824, Parliament made a clean sweep of all the cruel, wicked and foolish old laws, and declared that in future combinations of working people for the purposes of settling the rate of wages and the hours of labor should be no longer unlawful.

REPEAL OF THE COMBINATION LAWS.

From the repeal of the Combination laws in 1825, the modern history of our labor movement dates. Bad as that legislation was, it was far from perfect. It has been described as "a solemn dueling code between capital and labor," and not without reason. We have had to supplement it in several directions. First, by protective legislation, such as our factory acts, which we have passed to prevent the over-working of women and children, of which it was confidently predicted that they would reduce wages and diminish production, while the result would unnerve the leisure provided for them. The exact contrary has happened. Wages and production have increased, and the people, on the whole, use their leisure admirably. Again we have had to supplement it by enabling legislation. After the bitter experience of more than a whole generation, we have fairly acknowledged that it is not sufficient to have combinations of employers or of workpeople outside the law; to say you may combine, but the Courts cannot recognize your combinations or protect your property. It is only within the last two years that England has come to this wiser mind, and has resolved to bring all unions resolutely within the pale of law, to compel them to publicity, and to make them bodies legally recognized and legally responsible. To return, however, to 1825. The unions soon learned to make use of their new powers, and a dead civil war broke out all over the country. The sad words of one of your ablest economists may be taken with scarcely a qualification as descriptive of that time:

"Capitalists may encroach on labor; laborers may, in their madness, destroy capital—such is the work of ignorance and evil passions. But, however far such a strife may be carried, it can only result in mutual injuries, and health can only be restored by obtaining the recognition of the full rights and obligations of each. The condition of well-being is peace. A false philosophy has set the world at war for ages, proclaiming that what one nation gains another must lose. Such a philosophy has had its trial, extending over centuries of waste and terror, and it is now fortunately dishonored through the whole civilized world. Akin to it is the belief that hatred and retaliation are the normal conditions of capital and labor, and that mutual distrust and hurtfulness are inevitable in all the developments of industry, as if the laws and harmonies of Providence, in direction before the glorious order of man had partaken. That could shallow selfishness of capital has robbed labor by means of law, fraud, superstitious ignorance, degraded, has often turned upon its tyrant, and taught in common with Church and State, lectures and wealth."

EVIL EFFECTS OF STRIKES.

It is needless to dwell upon a state of things which has passed away, or to endeavor to fix blame either side in the long struggle. The fruitful waste and misery inflicted on employers and work-people by strikes and lockouts, the wide-spread ruin of families, the disease, bad trade, as well as the heroism and self-sacrifice, which not seldom lighted up those civil conflicts are now, I trust, matters of history. The war ended, as no few wars do end, without the complete discomfiture of either side, and how a better state of things has come about, I must try to tell you in a few words. After I had seen twenty years of strife, the work-people found that they were unable to contend with their employers, in their isolated local union, numbering a few hundred men. They determined to extend their organization so far, if possible, to embrace whole trades. The first experiment was made by the engineers and machinists. About the year 1842 these men, who are, of course, among the most able and skillful of our mechanics, formed a vast federation of societies, and called it the Amalgamated Society. In 1851 it numbered twelve thousand, scattered through branches all over the Kingdom, and had a reserve fund of some $225,000. Then came the first, and I am proud to say, the last, great trial of strength with the employers, so far as this Society is concerned. After four months of misery, in which, at the lowest calculation, the men lost $150,000 in wages, the struggle ended in their total defeat, and left the Society without a penny of reserve fund, heavily in debt, and with the loss of more than a quarter of its members, and it was thought that trade-unionism had received its death-blow. Never was there a more rash calculation.

SUCCESS OF TRADES-UNIONS.

The Amalgamated Society recovered itself with marvelous rapidity, and has gone on increasing till the present time, when it numbers some 40,000 members, has more than 200 branches, some twenty of which are on this side the Atlantic, and a reserve fund of £100,000. The example of the engineers was followed in the building trades, the iron trade, the coal trade and other of our leading industries. On the other hand, the employers in these trades also combined in large societies, extending often over whole districts. At least the two armies stood opposite one another, marshaled for battle on such a scale that every trade dispute threatened to carry ruin and misery into every corner of the Kingdom. But while this state of things had been growing, better counsels had begun to prevail. The wisest and more far-seeing of the employers, and of the leaders of the work-people, staggered at the magnitude of the interests involved and the bitterness and vices of the struggle, had for years been advocating the establishment of courts of arbitration and conciliation for the peaceable settlement of all trade disputes. For a length these counsels took shape and bore good fruit. The home of establishing courts of arbitration and conciliation, first in his own trade at Nottingham and afterward in all parts of England, belongs in great measure to Mr. MUNDELLA, the member for Sheffield, who is now in this country, and I believe in this City. I have no time for you details about them. Suffice it to say that they are established in all the great industries of the Kingdom, and that almost all the most powerful unions have inserted in their rules a positive prohibition of strikes until after the questions in dispute have been before an arbitrator and council of conciliation. It may be too sanguine to say that great strikes are evils of the past, but every day shows that in the future they will be gross outrages on the moral sense of the community, and the offending parties will have all England against them. You may be interested to hear how the Courts are carried on. In January last I went down to hold one at Middlesboro', the centre of the north of England iron district. Trade had revived, and though some advance had been given, the men thought they were entitled to more. The dispute had become bitter. The iron masters had invited a mediator. The Court sat in the town hall, fourteen employers, the leading men of the district, on one side of a long table, fourteen men from the works of these employers on the other. We sat for two days. During the first hard things were said, and blunt contradictions as to facts and figures flew about. On the second day the angles seemed to have been rubbed off, and both sides spoke quietly and fairly. At the end of the day the employers went into one room, the men into another. I carried proposals backward and forward for perhaps half an hour, and at the end of that time we had the happiness of getting the signatures of both sides to an agreement which settled all questions in dispute, and bound employers and workmen for a whole year.

COURTS OF ARBITRATION.

But if matters rested here with us I should still be doubtful for the future of the labor question in England. At the best, courts of arbitration leave the standing armies untouched, and even involve the necessity of keeping them highly organized. While there are standing armies there must be always danger of war, whether between nations or classes; but I trust that we, in England, are on the sure road to getting rid of standing armies altogether, or, at any rate, in the industrial world. It is by the development of movement that this blessing seems likely to be obtained, and to this I must now turn. It is a great subject—perhaps the greatest which the social reformer has to deal with. No one can be more conscious than I am of the utter inadequacy of any sketch I can give you in such a lecture as this, and there are many friends in this room who will remark the many gaps in what I have already said and what I have yet to say. However, I can but do my best, and hope that what I say may, perhaps, lead those most interested in these questions over here to study our industrial history of the last forty years more in detail.

CO-OPERATIVE SYSTEM.

In the midst of the worst years of the great labor-war which I have been speaking of, when masters were asserting their rights to do what they would regardless of their men, and men were ready to starve if they could only injure or defeat their masters, the co-operative movement commenced, so far as the scope of this lecture is concerned. I leave on one side co-operation for purposes of distribution, which began somewhat earlier, although it has been, as yet, by far, the most successful. Under it the working people throughout the whole of the north of England have established stores of their own, which supply them with pure and unadulterated articles at cost price (for all profits on purchases are divided periodically among the members.) They have delivered themselves from the thraldom of debt to the small shop-keepers and publicans, and have restored tone to trade outside their own body. The system of ready-money payments is spreading widely wherever co-operative stores flourish. But it is association for production, a far harder reform to carry out, with which we are concerned, and this had scarcely any existence in England till after the French revolution of 1848. All of you who care for these questions probably remember the establishment of the workmen's associations in Paris at that time. The National Ateliers were founded on false principles, for political purposes, and failed grievously, but many other associations established by the owners themselves flourished for years; indeed, some of them were still in great prosperity during the breaking out of the civil war. Well, some Englishmen who had seen or knew about them, resolved to try the experiment at home, feeling sure that in this direction, however difficult the path might prove, lay the true solution of the labor question. We formed in London a society for promoting working men's associations, and assisted a number of bodies of men in the building, tailoring, shoe-making, and other trades to start in business for themselves, under rules which provided that all those employed in the work should share in the profits. The same thing was done in other parts of England, and in other branches of industry. I will not trouble you with details. Most of these associations failed, a few succeeded, and remain to this day, but the experience gained was sufficient to convince all who took part in the movement, on the one hand of the truth and power of the principle, on the other hand of the exceeding difficulty of carrying it on to practical success without the aid of those who had grown up with the knowledge and experience of conducting manufactures and businesses. We had to admit with some sorrow and disappointment, that it would probably take a generation to educate men of the working class so as to fit them for the successful management of a productive association. If the reform was to come speedily, it must be by the help of the employers. But here the law again stood in our way. An employer could not give his work-people a share in profits without making them partners, and so giving them a right to take the accounts of the business, interfere in its management, and so jeopardize his whole fortune. The first thing to be done was to alter this law, but this was not effected till 1865. On the 5th of July in that year the act to amend the Law of Partnership was passed, and from that time it became possible for employers without legally making their all to associate their workmen as sharers in the profits of their business. This act was not long in bearing fruit. In that same Autumn the principle was adopted by employers in several trades. As the best way of showing you how the new system was adopted and worked out, I will confine myself to one experiment now widely known, and the most successful of all, so far as I know up to the present time—the Whitwood Collieries of Messrs. BRIGGS & SON.

ITS SUCCESS.

Mr. HENRY BRIGGS, the head of the firm, was a staunch coal-owner, and owned large pits in the Yorkshire district. He was a resolute, upright Yorkshireman, kind and generous to all about him, but above all things determined and unflinching wherever he believed himself in the right. Such a man was sure to be in demand as a leader, and accordingly, HENRY BRIGGS had been for years the Chairman of the Masters' Association of coal-owners in his own district. This association had been uniformly successful in its contests with the coal-workers, and so bitter was the feeling there that "the coal owners are devils, and BRIGGS is chief of the devils" had passed into a proverb. In 1864, and the beginning of 1865, things had come to such a pass that the Whitwood and other collieries were standing still often for weeks together, and when in work, had to be protected by a large force of police. Mr. BRIGGS at last got thoroughly sick of living in a constant state of war with his power neighbors. Collieries were returning scarcely five per cent on capital. He proposed to his men to sell the mines, if they would lend money for some other way which would bring them at least as large a return, and, most fortunately, as I believe for England, his sons had been attracted by the theories of co-operation, and proposed to their father to try what effect giving the work-people a share in profits under the new set would have on their business. These could scarcely be worse, and persons who had been studying the question of the relations of capital declared that they could be better. Mr. BRIGGS consented, and the first industrial partnership was accordingly formed at the Whitwood Collieries. The manner of its formation was as follows: The stock, plant and other property were valued, not being yet over fire the year of the business. The valuation amounted to something over £80,000. The sum was divided into shares of £10 each, in order to place them within reach of any prudent workman. The first charge on all the earnings of the collieries, after payment of the current rate of wages of the district to the work-people, was a fixed rate of interest on the capital, that being the rate which, according to the best authorities, money invested in coal-mines in England ought to bear. All surplus earnings, if any were made, were to be divided equally, half paid out as additional interest on capital, the other half being divided among the work-people as a bonus in proportion to the amount earned by each of them during the year. The articles of this Industrial Society were duly registered. The Messrs. BRIGGS kept the larger part of the shares in their own hands, and the rest were sold to friends of the movement, and to the work-people, arrangements being made by means of share clubs to enable the latter to pay up their shares by small weekly installments. So great was the suspicion among the men, that although the matter was thoroughly talked over with them and explained, scarcely one of them would take a share. Messrs. BRIGGS, for the sake of convenience, made it a condition of sharing in whatever bonus might be earned that each workman should take out a penny book, in which the amount earned by him, and upon which, therefore, his share of the profitable should be entered by the proper clerk at the end of each week. Only about one-tenth of the nine hundred work-people employed took the trouble to take out this book. However, the leaders were determined to give the scheme a fair trial, and accordingly, though there were many threatenings of strike took place during the first year. At the end of that time it was found that after putting aside a reserve fund of several thousand pounds, something more than thirteen per cent. had been made on the whole capital, and there was accordingly a sum of more pounds than I can remember pounds to be divided among the holders of books in honour their earnings. I went down to the meeting in the great room at the collieries where this announcement was made of the result of the first year's working, and I shall not easily forget the scene at the great dinner-party, the hearty speeches proclaiming the good time coming, the toasts and the flights of hard-handed fellows carrying in their pockets more coin than they had ever seen before at one time, the blank looks and good resolutions of those who had neglected to take out books.

CONFIDENCE IN THE SYSTEM.

They all took out books next morning, and I came away with a very firm faith in the future of the first industrial partnership of BRIGGS & CO. limited. That confidence was well grounded. Down to that day in this the season had been on increasing. A large proportion of the work-people now own shares. One of their number has been elected on the Board of Directors. The dividends have never fallen, and have in some years advanced largely. The economy in material, such as timber and oil, has been sufficient to pay a dividend of (I believe) more than 1 per cent. Above all, while there have been many disputes and stoppages of work in the district, the Methwood Collieries have never lost a day, and the feeling between the Messrs. Briggs and their work-people is as cordial as the strongest philanthropist could desire.

ENGLAND AND THE UNITED STATES—A CONTRASTS.

I have now given you very imperfectly, but I believe faithful as far as it goes, an account of the great labor movement in England. I am not sanguine enough to hope that all our troubles are over; but I do believe that all serious danger for us is past, and that if we lose the lead, which, according to the latest returns, we still hold among the producing nations of the world, it will be because we are fairly beaten in invention and applied skill, or, at the most, dogged persistency in work which has hitherto done so much for us, and not because our employers and work-people are engaged in the time-honored and world-old pastime of cutting each others' throats. Is it so at home? Well, I know my friends will have nothing to learn from the old country in this matter! Well, it is exceedingly difficult for a stranger coming among you for a few months to judge, but, unless I am mistaken, I see the threatenings of trouble for you over this labor question. Labor and capital in the New World seem inclined to ignore or despise all the lessons of the Old, and to fall together by the ears, instead of marching together hand in hand toward the grandest work the earth can offer just now—the peaceful development of this vast and magnificent continent of yours.

ADVICE TO WORKING MEN.

I have no right to offer counsel to either side, and may possibly be even regarded with suspicion by employers of labor over here, as I have been till lately by those of England. But as I have helped the working men at home to fight these battles, and have had the happiness of earning their confidence, I trust their brethren here will take the few words I have to say to them in good part, and as those, at any rate, of a friend. In it then the fact that you, the working men of the United States are running simply on the old tracks, and are furbishing up the old weapons of trades-unionism, which have so often run into the hands of your masters. Are you, I ask, are you really trying by your organisations to control the free will of those of your body who are not Unionists—to put restrictions and limitations on the hours of labor, the admission of apprentices, the use of machinery, the rate of wages, and to carry out your ideas by the old method of strikes? These are questions which have often enough in England. If not wise even there, at least they had a justification in which here is wholly wanting. Where the labor market is overstocked, and there are often two men waiting for one man's place, it is not unnatural that men should have sympathized with and defended rules and practices intended to spread work evenly, and requiring self-sacrifice from the ablest workmen that all of fair capacity might earn a livelihood. Where all the natural wealth of the country (if I may use the phrase) is already monopolized, where land, mines, waterfalls, all the raw material out of which wealth is created—are in private hands, and there is the keenest competition for the use of them, as there is with us, one must not be too critical as to the methods by which the great body of producers have endeavored to secure their share of the produce. But here you have well-paid employment waiting for every man who is ready to do an honest day's work. Here the natural wealth of the country is for all practical purposes unappropriated, and lying around you in almost unbounded profusion. You have nothing to do but to go to work a little cheaply and right for a few short months, to spend for that time less than you earn, and there are the means in the hands of every one of you of obtaining house, land, whatever form of wealth you are most eager for, with only too great facility.

CAUTION TO TRADES-UNIONISTS.

On what possible plea of reason, or justice, or necessity, or even of hand-to-mouth policy can you undertake to control or limit the right to work on the terms they may agree upon of any man, when there is ample room for twenty times your present numbers, and your land is crying out for all the work which every man among you can put into it? When the great trades-unions of England are becoming every day more powerful, and more capable of the dogged persistency in work which has hitherto done so much for us, and not because our employers and work-people are engaged in the time-honored and world-old pastime of cutting each others' throats. Is it so at home? Well, I know my friends will have nothing to learn from the old country in this matter! Well, it is exceedingly difficult for a stranger coming among you for a few months to judge, but, unless I am mistaken, I see the threatenings of trouble for you over this labor question. Labor and capital in the New World seem inclined to ignore or despise all the lessons of the Old, and to fall together by the ears, instead of marching together hand in hand toward the grandest work the earth can offer just now—the peaceful development of this vast and magnificent continent of yours.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

Yesterday, (Oct. 21,) was a mere active business day at the Exchange, the sales made being of a important nature, the bidding quite spirited, and the prices realized generally good. Property amounting in the aggregate to the sum of $114,000 was disposed of. In detail the transactions effected were as follows:

ROBERTS & MCGUIRE, by an order of the Supreme Court, in a judgment of foreclosure, under the direction of JAMES H. COLEMAN, Esq., referee, sold three four-story, high-stoop, brownstone-front, houses, together with the lots upon which they are situated, located on the north side of Seventy-first-street, between Third and Fourth-avenues. The houses, it was stated, are first-class, new and nearly finished. The mortgages foreclosed against the property are held by the International Insurance Company. The house and lot on the north-east corner of the street named and Fourth-avenue, known as No. 417 East Seventy-first-street, brought $20,700, DANIEL HERMANT being the purchaser. The other two houses and lots, Nos. 407 and 409, adjoining each other and distant east of the avenue 60 feet, brought $21,600 and $21,200 respectively, JAMES C. GULICK being the purchaser of the land WILLIAM KANE of the other.

A. H. MULLER, P. R. WILKINS & CO. disposed of the following property: Four lots of land, with the buildings thereon, situate on the north side of Forty-fifth-street, commencing 100 feet west of Tenth-avenue. The improvements on the property consist of a three-story brick house, 26x40 feet, on one of the lots; a three-story brick factory, 40x50 feet, well and substantially built, with fire-proof ceilings, on the rear of two of the lots; and a two-story brick stable and office on the westerly lot. The entire premises were bought by F. ZAISS for $24,800. The transaction was also a Supreme Court sale, under the direction of DANIEL P. INGRAHAM, Jr., Referee. The same firm in addition sold a three-story high-stoop brown-stone-front house and lot, 18.9x92.9 feet, located on the south side of West Twenty-third-street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, known as No. 244. The house is 45 feet deep, with an extension of 9 feet in the rear. The property was struck off by E. I. HANSON for $22,500, and the transaction closed the sales of the day.

On Thursday, notwithstanding the storm, Messrs. A. J. BLEECKER, SON & Co. held the sale at Fordham, in Westchester County, as advertised, for the purpose of cleaning up the Lorillard estate. The result was a satisfactory one, ninety-seven lots and plots in all being sold. The total amount realized was $21,615. The sale was under the direction of PHILO T. RUGGLES, Esq., referee.

It is the importance of the transactions noticed to take place next week may be taken as any indication of an active market, the business of the week should show favorable results. At the Exchange a large lot of really valuable property will be offered. The sale bulletined for Tuesday, by MULLER, WILKINS & CO., of City lots on Washington, Jackson Heights, and Broadway, particularly command attention. On Tuesday also, Messrs. A. J. BLEECKER, SON & CO. will hold the closing-out sale at Rutherford Park, N. J., and on the same day at the Brooklyn Exchange, No. 389 Fulton-street, in that city, J. COLE will dispose of 139 Prospect Park lots. For other days in the week, a large list of importance are also announced, a record of which will appear in this column on Monday.

Exchange Sales Friday, Oct. 21, 1870.

NEW-YORK.

By Roberts & McGuire.

4-story b. s. house and lot, n. s. corner 71st-st. and 4th-av., No. 101 East 71st-st., lot 20x102.2 ..$23,700
4-story b. & house and lot, n. s., No. 107 E. 71st-st., 60 ft. e. of 4th-av., lot same size as above 21,600
4-story b. s. house and lot adjoining above, No. 109 East 71st-st., 60 ft. e. of 4th-av., lot same size 21,200

By Muller, Wilkins & Co.

4 lots and buildings thereon, s. s. 48th-st., 100 ft. w. of 10th-av., lots each 25x100.4, sold together ..$24,500
4-story b. s. house and lot, s. s., No. 24 West 23d-st., between 7th and 8th avs., lot 18.9x98.9, house 18.9x92 22,000

Transfers of Real Estate.

NEW-YORK.

Orchard-st., e. s., 225 ft. n. of Stanton-st., 25x87.4, $22,200
23d-st., n. s., 237 ft. e. of 2d-av., 16x98.9 15,000
34th-st., e. s., 70 ft. w. of 2d-av., 24x98.9, h. and l.. 6,000
35th-st., s. s., lot No. 11, G. H. Carroll's map, 20x98.9 20,000
36th-st., e. s., 125 ft. e. of 1st-av., 25x98x—x98.9 22,000
42d-st., s. s., 100 ft. e. of 2d-av., 75x98.9 16,500
46th-st., s. s., 120 ft. e. of Madison-av., 20x100.5.. 21,000
46th-st., n. s., 420 ft. w. of 8th-av., 25.8x100.5 42,000
57th-st., s. s., 395 ft. w. of 9th-av., 20x92.6 20,000
62d-st., s. s., 155 ft. e. of 4th-av., 16.9x100.5 20,500
63d-st., s. s., 125 ft. w. of 9th-av., 20x100.5 4,000
81st-st., n. s., 175 ft. e. of 3d-av., 25x100 9,000
112th-st., s. s., 155 ft. e. of 4th-av., 50x100.6, h. and l. 23,070
122d-st., n. s., 160 ft. w. of 3d-av., 20x100, h. and l. 8,500
Lexington-av., e. s., 38.6 ft. s. of 55th-st., 18.6x80, h. and l. 28,000
2d-av., e. s., 46.8 ft. s. of 105th-st., 25.8x90 20,250

Lease Recorded.

Bowery, No. 37, 5 years, { 2 years, per year ..... $1,000 / 3 years, per year ..... 1,250 }

KINGS COUNTY.

Brooklyn.

Berges-st., s. s., 191.6 w. of Bond-st., 18.5x100 ..... $9,000
Bolivar-st., s. s., 50 ft. s. of Hopkins-st., 22x50, h. and l. 2,100
Broadway, n. e. s., 125 ft. s. e. of Hull-st., 9x100x 20.3x100 470
Broadway and Sheppard-av., n. e. corner, 23x100 400
Chauncey-st., n. s., 100 ft. e. of Patchen-av., 50x about 94.2 800
Clinton-st., e. s., 75 ft. s. of Amity-st., 25x90 2,000
Dean-st., n. s., 250 ft. e. of Grand-av., 16.8x100.. 2,075
Delmonico-place, s. w. cor., 14x100x60.4x142.5x—x252.5, h. and l. 14,000
Hopkins-st., s. s., 50 ft. w. of Throop-av., 100x100, (Schmidt's deed, 1861.) 1,000
Hopkins-st., n. s., 100 ft. w. of Tompkins-av., 50 x100, h. and l. 15,000
Huntington-st., n. s., 200 ft. e. of Court-st., 20 x100 4,500
Manson-st., No. 29, late No. 17 Remsen-st., h. and l., 26x100 3,450
Midwood-st., s. s., 175 ft. w. of Henry-st., 25.8x 100.8, h. and l. 7,500
Pacific-st., s. s., 100 ft. w. of Albany-av., 20x107 800
Pulaski-st., n. s., 100 ft. w. of Lewis-st., 100x100 3,000
Ryerson-st., e. s., 362.9 ft. s. of Flushing-av., 25x 100 5,350
Waverly-st., n. s., 100 ft. e. of Bridge-st., 25x100.. 27,000
8th-st., n. s., 250 ft. e. of Smith-st., 22x104 700
16th-st., n. s., 400 ft. e. of 10th-av., 40x100.2 5,600
Gates-av., s. s., 125 ft. e. of Patchen-av., 50x100.. 5,300
Kent-av., e. s., 275 ft. s. of Nassau-st., 75x200, h. and l. 20,000
Lee-av., e. s., 22 ft. n. of Rodney-st., 22x100 15,000
Montauk-av., e. s., 350 ft. n. of Liberty-av., 75x 100 16,718
Montauk-av., e. s., 320 ft. n. of Liberty-av., 75x 100 .....
Montauk-av., e. s., 420 ft. n. of Liberty-av., 75x 100 .....
Montauk-av. and Liberty-st., n. e. corner, 173x 200x100x100x75x100 .....
Morse-av., e. s., 475 ft. n. of Liberty-av., 25x100.
Morse-av., e. s., 325 ft. n. of Liberty-av., 75x100.
Morse-av., e. s., 175 ft. n. of Liberty-av., 75x100.
Fountain-av., e.s., 375 ft. n. of Myrtle-av., 4 lots and strip .....
Sackett-st. and Vanderbilt-ave., s. w. corner, 20x100 .....
Vanderbilt-av., w. s., 120 ft. s. of St. Mark's-av., 20x95 21,000
Throop-av. and Stockton-st., n. e. corner, 20x 95 .....
Stockton-st., w. s., 65 ft. e. of Throop-av., 20x 100x105 to Throop-av.x20x85x— 1,000
Throop-av., w. s., 50 ft. s. of Floyd-st., 25x100 4,100

WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

Rastover.

Katonah to Whitlockville road, n. s. of M. H. Silkman's $1,000

Greenburg.

White Plains road, n. s. of McCormick's property, 5 1-10 acres $2,275

Yorktown.

Crom Pond road, Oliver Sovereno's property $100,000

NEW-JERSEY.

Newark.

2d-st., w. s., 100 ft. s. of 2d-av., 25x100 ..... $900
Ogden-st., s. s., 25 ft. from Parker-st., 25x100 .. 1,700
Oxford-st., w. s., 100 ft. s. of East River-st., 20x 100 750
Plane-st., w. s., 75 ft. n. of Bleecker-st., 25x92 .. 3,000
Sheffield-st., w. s., 50 ft. s. of W. Haines', 2 lots, 30.8x107, 32x100 3,000

Clinton.

F. Mandeville to E. Hum, 8 acres $7,000

Pellerville.

Franklin-av., e. s., 400 ft. s. of M. Birtwistle's, 25 x200 ..... $300
Holmes-st., n. s., 50 ft. w. of Stephens-st., 50x83. 1,200

Woodside.

Chestnut-place, n. s., adjoining lot No. 46, 100x174. 1,600

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PEREMPTORY SALE, BY ORDER of Executrix, of VALUABLE VILLA SITES on WASHINGTON HEIGHTS, and FIFTY-FOUR LOTS on BROADWAY.
ADRIAN H. MULLER, P. R. WILKINS & CO. will sell at auction, on TUESDAY, Oct. 25, 1870, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway, (by order of the executrix of Lucius Chittenden, deceased,)
SEVENTEEN VILLA SITES,
containing an area of from fifteen to twenty-two lots each, situate on
WASHINGTON HEIGHTS,
adjoining the elegant villas of Hon. William M. Tweed, James Gordon Bennett, Joseph Potter and James Fisher, Esqs.
This property is part of a large tract on the Heights purchased by the late Judge Chittenden in his life-time, and was reserved as being the
CHOICEST AND MOST DESIRABLE
property on the Heights. It commands an extensive
VIEW OF THE HUDSON AND HARLEM RIVERS,
and of the beautiful valley lying between the Heights and Harlem River, and for
CHARMING LOCATION, BEAUTY, GRANDEUR, AND VARIETY OF SCENERY
is not surpassed by any property on
NEW-YORK ISLAND OR ITS VICINITY.
THE RIVER SIDE BOULEVARD,
now being laid out under the direction of the
CENTRAL PARK COMMISSIONERS,
and which runs through the westerly portion of this property, will, when completed, add greatly to its accessibility; and its course being along the high land on the
BANK OF THE HUDSON RIVER
RIVER SIDE PARK,
will afford the most
BEAUTIFUL AND PICTURESQUE DRIVE
on the island.
The new road on the westerly side of the property is now open to carriages, and will eventually connect the plots on the hill by a beautifully shaded drive with the Boulevard.
The property is also but a short drive from
CENTRAL PARK,
by way of Harlem-lane, now ex. Nicholas-av. and Broadway, turning off Broadway to the left at 155th-st., where a prominent sign-board is placed.
Also,
fifty-four lots adjoining the above-described property, and fronting on
BROADWAY,
which is to be widened, making it one of the best roads on the island.
THE NEW TOWER AT HIGH BRIDGE RESERVOIR,
now nearly finished, will, when completed, distribute the Croton water through houses that may be erected on the highest point.
The property will be sold under
RESTRICTIONS AGAINST NUISANCES.
Seventy per cent. may remain on bond and mortgage of the purchaser.
Maps will be ready of the auctioneer, No. 7 Pine-st., or at the office of Messrs. STALLKNECHT & HALL, Attorneys, No. 39 Nassau-st.
Ample omnibus will run from Fort Washington Station, on the Hudson River Railroad, on arrival of the 10 A. M. and 1:30 P. M. trains from 30th-st. Depot, and will convey visitors to and from the property free of charge.

Closing-out Sale
OF LOTS AND PLOTS,
AT RUTHERFURD PARK.

On TUESDAY, Oct. 25, 1870,
A. J. BLEECKER, SON & CO., Auctioneers,
will sell on the premises of the
RUTHERFURD PARK ASSOCIATION,
ABOUT 600 CITY LOTS, IN PLOTS,
and 97 acres of land, in one parcel, between two railroads, to close out the property. Sale Peremptory. Terms very easy. Title perfect. Sale to begin at 12 M. A SPECIAL TRAIN ON THE DELAWARE, LACKAWANNA AND WESTERN RAILROAD, Bontoon Brooks, will leave New-York, by Barclay and Christopher-street Ferries, at 11 o'clock, and the train will leave Hoboken at 11½ A. M.; also from ferries foot of Chambers and Cortlandt-sts., by Barclay. For circulars and free passes apply to the auctioneers, at No. 77 Cedar-st., and in the office of the Company, at No. 1 Hudson-st., Jersey City.
Should the day prove stormy the sale will take place on THURSDAY, Oct. 27.

JOHN H. AUSTEN, Auctioneer.

BY HAZARD, ARTHORP & CO., No. 116 Broadway, corner of Pine-st.
Great two days' sale of
MINETY COTTAGE PLOTS
IN
ORANGE VALLEY, N. J.,
AT MONTROSE STATION,
TUESDAY, Nov. 1,
Orange Valley is elevated 150 feet above the level of the sea, and is renowned for its salubrity, the rapid improvements which are taking place, and the high character of its population.
ALSO,
FIFTY VILLA SITES
IN
ORANGE MOUNTAIN, N. J.,
NEAR MONTROSE STATION,
WEDNESDAY, Nov. 2.
This tract has an elevation of 600 feet above the water, is ABSOLUTELY FREE FROM MIASMA, is adapted to villa plots of from half an acre to four or six acres, and is adorned by fine deciduous and evergreen trees. It has magnificent views from the palisades to the ocean.
Montclair Station is fifty-seven minutes from foot of Barclay-st. Special trains each day at 11 A. M.
Maps showing approaches, neighborhood and elements of both lots and plots, at the office of HAZARD, ARTHORP & CO., No. 116 Broadway; of L. S. HASKELL, owner, Library Building, Orange, N. J.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, Auctioneer.

EXECUTORS' SALE OF VALUABLE PROPERTY ON GRAND-ST.
ADRIAN H. MULLER, P. R. WILKINS & CO. will sell at auction, on THURSDAY, Oct. 27, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway, by order of the executors of Stephen Allen, deceased:
GRAND-STREET.—The three-story and attic brick houses (with stores) and lots, situate on the northerly side of Grand-st., 50 feet and 1 inch west of Pitt-st., and known as Nos. 454, 456 and 458 Grand-st. Lots each about 25 feet 9 inches by 100 feet.
For maps and further information apply to the auctioneers, No. 7 Pine-st., or at the office of A. V. W. VAN VECTEN, Esq., attorney of estate, No. 46 Pine-st.

CONTINUATION SALE—BY LAWRENCE, OAKLEY & PLERREPONT, Auctioneers,
AT SCRANTON, PENN.
ON TUESDAY, 25TH INST.
2,000 lots in that city, on easy terms, balance of the Stafford Meadow Estate, of which over 900 lots were sold recently.
NO MORTGAGES. TITLE PERFECT.
Sale positive and absolute without reserve.
Ten years ago Scranton contained less than 15,000 people; now has over 35,000. Men of New-York, capitalists, speculators, reflect and take advantage of this opportunity for large profits.
Full particulars, maps, &c., at the office of the auctioneers, No. 16 Pine-st., New-York.

J. COLL, Auctioneer.

GREAT AND ABSOLUTE SALE OF Prospect Park Lots, Brooklyn, by order of the Supreme Court, on TUESDAY, Oct. 25, at 12 o'clock, at the Commercial Exchange, No. 189 Fulton-st., Brooklyn, 123 splendid lots on Vanderbilt, 3d, 4th and 5th avs., and Degraw and Sackett sts.; sale positive to the highest bidder; 20 per cent. on mortgage. Maps at the Commercial Exchange, 389 Fulton-st., Brooklyn.

REAL ESTATE AT AUCTION.

S. DOWNS, Auctioneer.

PEREMPTORY SALE BY ORDER OF THOMAS N. HAWLEY, Trustee, of great central subdivision of
GRAND PARK,
SATURDAY, Oct. 22, at 1 o'clock P. M.,
ON THE GROUNDS,
absolutely without reserve, to the highest bidder,
150 FIRST-CLASS VILLA LOTS,
from one to five acres each—the very choice of the beautiful lands of the Park—sold by the acre. Also,
THE ELEGANT MODERN MANSION,
formerly owned by Thomas N. Hawley, Esq., and now recently occupied by the late Andrew Wilson, Jr., spacious, tasteful, and abounding with every modern requirement of wealth and refinement; together with extensive out-buildings and ten acres of costly ornate grounds. Also,
THE PICTURESQUE VILLA,
formerly owned by H. D. CLAFLIN, Esq., a modern rural residence, with every convenience, numerous out-buildings, and eleven acres of beautiful lawn, adorned with fruit and shade trees.
THE HANDSOME COTTAGE
of Mrs. McIntyre, and four and 70-100 acres of land.
Also, a
HEAT COTTAGE,
with one acre.
All to be sold without reserve.
Special trains leave depot, 42d-st., and 27th-st., at 8½ and 11½ A. M.
For descriptive pamphlets and further information apply to
DINGEE, REYNHAM & CO.,
No. 48 Cedar-st.

O. H. PIERSON, Auctioneer.

BY A. D. MELLICK, JR., & BRO., Auctioneers and dealers in New-Jersey Real Estate, No. 8 Pine-st., New-York.
SECOND GRAND SALE AT SCOTCH PLAINS, NEW-JERSEY.
FANWOOD STATION,
One hour from the New-York side of the river by the Central Railroad of New-Jersey,
ON TUESDAY, NOV. 1, 1870,
A great opportunity for men of moderate means.
300 CHOICE LOTS,
IMMEDIATELY AT THE VILLAGE, ADJOINING CHURCHES, SCHOOLS AND STORES.
PLANK-WALK TO STATION.
STREETS ALL HANDSOMELY GRADED.
PLANK-WALK IN FRONT OF EVERY LOT.
LOVELY MOUNTAIN SCENERY.
Only 35 minutes' ride from Jersey City, on cash, or cash in, required on day of sale. Free train and luncheon. Splendid music by Gratille's Seventh Regiment Band.
Maps and passes for special train leaving the foot of Liberty-st., N. R., on the day of sale, can be had upon application to
COUDERT BROS., Attorneys, No. 2 Wall-st.
R. OLIVER, Jr., Esq., Counsel.
And to A. D. MELLICK, JR., & BRO., Auctioneers, No. 8 Pine-st.

A. J. BLEECKER, SON & CO., Auctioneers.

THURSDAY, OCT. 27, AT 12 M., AT the Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway:
EAST FIFTEENTH-STREET.—Three-story brick house, No. 73, north side, near Irving-place; all modern improvements; terms very liberalize.
FLATBUSH, NEAR PROSPECT PARK.—20 lots on Linden Boulevard and Nostrand-av.
BAY RIDGE.—Just outside the city limits, 6th-av. and 80th-st.—5 lots.
TREMONT, WESTCHESTER COUNTY.—3 lots; part of the River homestead.
FRIDAY, OCT. 28,
at 12 M., at the Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway:
WASHINGTON-AVENUE, BERGEN, N. J.—Frame house and grounds in fine order, with all modern improvements. French range, hot and cold water, &c. Carpets the door; maps at No. 77 Cedar-st.

FINANCIAL.

MONTCLAIR RAILWAY
(OF NEW-JERSEY.)
FIRST MORTGAGE BONDS
INDORSED BY THE
N. Y. AND OSWEGO MIDLAND RAILROAD CO.

The only railroad now building from New-York Harbor toward the West is the
GREAT MIDLAND ROAD.
The First Mortgage Bonds of THE MONTCLAIR RAILWAY COMPANY, (the New-Jersey section of the Midland,) are now offered to the amount only of
HALF A MILLION OF DOLLARS.
They are payable, principal and interest,
IN GOLD.
The rate of interest is 7 per cent, payable semi-annually, FREE FROM GOVERNMENT TAX.
These bonds are secured by a first mortgage to MARCUS L. WARD and ABRAM S. HEWITT, Trustees, on the most valuable and profitable portion of THE MIDLAND RAILROAD, the traffic of which will alone suffice to pay a fair profit on the cost of construction.
The Montclair Railway
having been leased perpetually to the New-York and Oswego Midland Railroad Company, becomes an integral part of that great work, and ITS BONDS ARE GUARANTEED by that Company.
NEARLY 200 MILES
in extent of this most important railroad are now completed and in successful operation, and THE MONTCLAIR RAILWAY, constituting the eastern terminal section—forty miles in length—is in process of rapid construction, and will be completed by December, 1871, simultaneously with the entire line, thereby establishing a new route from New-York westerly by way of Oswego, fifty miles shorter than by the Central, and by way of Buffalo seventy miles shorter than either the Central or the Erie Roads.
We recommend these bonds as a safe and valuable investment, because—
First—They are secured by a first mortgage on THE MONTCLAIR RAILWAY, and all its franchise, and EACH BOND BEARS THE INDORSEMENT of the
NEW-YORK AND OSWEGO MIDLAND RAILROAD COMPANY,
Second—The LOCAL TRAFFIC of this road must be large, as it connects New-York City with its most attractive suburbs, thereby insuring a profitable business to the road.
Third—The franchises of the Company, embracing lines of railway and branches to be built, and an INDEPENDENT FERRY across Hudson River, all of which are included in the mortgage, confer a value on these bonds in addition to that adopted by the main line.
Fourth—The entire capital of both Companies, amounting at the present time to nearly $6,000,000 PAID IN, all of which has been faithfully devoted to the economical construction of the road, is liable for the payment of these bonds.
Fifth—The large rate of interest,
PAYABLE IN GOLD COIN,
affords to holders of Government Bonds a great inducement to change their investment. For instance:

A Government Bond of $1,000 costs (say)	$1,100
Yielding an income of	60
$1,100, invested in Montclair Railway Bonds, at par, yields an income of	77
Difference, $17, or 28½ per cent.	

These bonds are issued in denominations of $1,000, $500 and $100, respectively. For sale by
LEONARD, SHELDON & FOSTER,
Bankers, No. 10 Wall-st.

BROWN BROTHERS & CO.
ISSUE COMMERCIAL and TRAVELLERS' CREDITS AVAILABLE in all PARTS of the WORLD.

OFFICE OF THE WHLKESBARRE COAL AND IRON COMPANY, No. 80 Broadway,
NEW-YORK, Oct. 18, 1870.
A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of this Company will be held at the office of the Lehigh Coal and Navigation Company, in Philadelphia, on FRIDAY, Nov. 4, at 1 o'clock, for the purpose of obtaining their consent to the sale of nine thousand (9,000) shares of the Company's stock, received in payment for certain property of the Company, sold by their authority.
The transfer-books will be closed from Oct. 28 to Nov. 5, both days inclusive.
By order of the Board.
WM. H. TILLINGHAST, Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the undersigned Committee will open books for subscription to the capital stock of the Bankers' Life Insurance and Trust Company of New-York, at the office of Barton & Allen, No. 32 Broad-street, in the City of New-York, on the 21st day of October, 1870.
JACOB H. VANDERBILT,
JAMES M. DAVIS,
SAMUEL BARTON,
SAMUEL F. BARTON,
JOHN A. FOLEY, } Committee.
Dated New-York, Oct. 13, 1870.

MONEY TO LOAN IN SUMS OF $5,000 and upward on New-York and Brooklyn real estate; first and second mortgages bought. JOHN S. PIERCE, No. 108 Broadway, corner Pine-st.

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The Strongest and Best Security, as well as Most Profitable Investment, now Offered in the Market.

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FIRST MORTGAGE BONDS
COUPON OR REGISTERED, AND
FREE OF U. S. TAX.
Principal and Interest Payable In Gold,
ISSUED BY THE
Burlington, Cedar Rapids and Minnesota Railroad Company.
The small remaining balance of the issue for sale at
90 and Accrued Interest in Currency.
INTEREST PAYABLE MAY AND NOVEMBER.
J. EDGAR THOMSON, } Trustees.
CHARLES L. FROST,
The bonds are issued at $16,000 per mile against the portion only of the line fully completed and equipped. The greater part of the road is already in operation, and the present earnings are largely in excess of the operating expenses and interest on the bonds. The balance of the work necessary to establish through connections, thereby shortening the distance between St. Paul and Chicago 45 miles, and 90 miles to St. Louis, is rapidly progressing, in time for the movement of the coming grain crops, which, it is estimated, will double the present income of the road.
The established character of this road, running as it does through one of the most thickly settled and richest portion of the State of Iowa, and its connections, thereby strengthening its earning capacity, together with its present advanced condition and large earnings, warrant us in unhesitatingly recommending these bonds as an investment, in every respect, an unsurpassed security, and which, if purchased at the present market, and when a large quantity of the road is completed, will double the present income of the road.
The stockholders, officers and directors are connected with the fortunes of the road, and have pledged their entire holdings of the stock, which will be the first full, an immediate advance over subscription price may be looked for.
The bonds have a long time to run, are convertible at the option of the holder into the stock of the Company at par, and the payment of the principal is provided for by a sinking fund. The convertibility privilege has led to their being quoted at 90 to 92 cents on the dollar, which, at any day, is equivalent to a premium of 25 per cent. Currency in Gold, and when completed, they are confidently expected to sell at 110 per cent. Currency, and are regarded by many as the safest and fully equal as a security to any railroad bond issued, and until they are placed upon the New-York Stock Exchange, the rates of which are now fixed by the company, they will be offered at 90 and accrued interest. We strongly recommend them, and will furnish maps and pamphlets upon application.
W. P. CONVERSE & CO.,
No. 54 Pine-st.
TANNER & CO.,
No. 42 Wall-st.

SAVINGS BANKS.

INTEREST FROM THE FIRST OF EACH MONTH.
CITIZENS' SAVINGS BANK,
No. 95 Bowery, corner Canal-st., New-York. Present rate of interest SIX PER CENT. on all sums from $5 to $10,000.
Deposits made at or before Nov. 1, will bear interest from that day.
Interest calculated from the first of the month following the day of deposit, and is computed and paid or credited Jan. 1 and July 1, on the amount in bank the ensuing days.
Bank open EVERY DAY from 10 A. M. to 3 P. M., and on MONDAYS and SATURDAYS from 10 A. M. to 1 P. M.
R. A. QUINTARD, President.
SEYMOUR A. BUNCE, Secretary.

UNION DIME SAVINGS BANK.
No. 396 and 398 Canal-st., corner Lafayette-st.
SIX PER CENT. INTEREST, UP TO $5,000.
ASSETS, $7,758,046 26.
N. T. HAINES, } JOHN MCLEAN, President.
W. S. WHITLOCK, } G. S. CHAPIN, Treasurer.
Vice-Presidents. } T. S. ARMOUR, Secretary.

NEW-YORK SAVINGS BANK.—SIX PER CENT. INTEREST PER ANNUM, payable on all sums from $5 to $5,000. Deposits made on or before Nov. 1, will draw interest from Nov. 1.
Assets, $2,096,552 62. Surplus, $154,551 62.

DIVIDENDS.

INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.—THE interest on the Bonds and Stocks of the City and County of New-York due Nov. 1, 1870, will be paid on that day, by JOHN J. BRADLEY, Esq., Chamberlain of the City, at his office, in the new Court-house.
The transfer-books will be closed Saturday, Sept. 24, 1870.
RICHARD B. CONNOLLY, Controller.
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
CONTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW-YORK, Sept. 20, 1870.

OFFICE OF DENVER PACIFIC RAILWAY, DENVER, COLORADO, Oct. 10, 1870.
THE COUPONS DUE NOV. 1, 1870, of the Denver Pacific Railway and Telegraph Company, will be paid, on and after that date, at the banking-house of Messrs. DABNEY, MORGAN & CO., No. 53 Exchange-place, New-York.
D. H. MOFFAT, Jr., Treasurer.

OFFICE OF THE GARDNER MANUFACTURING CO., No. 110 Bowery, N. Y., Oct. 1, 1870.
AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD of Trustees, held at the office of the Company, this day, the usual quarterly dividend of TWO DOLLARS PER SHARE was declared, payable to the stockholders on and after first inst.
JOHN BOWMAN, Secretary.

DELAWARE, LACKAWANNA AND WESTERN RAILROAD COMPANY, NO. 23 EXCHANGE-PLACE, NEW-YORK, Oct. 18, 1870.
INTEREST ON CITY OF UTICA, Chenango and Susquehanna Valley Railroad Company will be payable at this office on and after 1st November next. Transfer books will be closed until that date.
A. J. ODELL, Treasurer.

AUCTION SALES.

JOHN H. DRAPER, Auctioneer.

STEAM-SHIP MONTICELLO SOLD AND LEASE OF HALF OF PIER NO. 29 NORTH RIVER,
AT AUCTION.
By JOHN H. DRAPER & CO.,
On SATURDAY, Oct. 22, 1870,
At 12 o'clock noon,
AT PIER NO. 29 NORTH RIVER.
The iron side-wheel steamship THOMAS KELSO, 1,646 tons burden, new measurement; capacity, 3,000 bales of cotton; length, 241 feet; beam, 36 feet; depth, 22 feet; draft, 17 feet; engines, 1,400 horse; 4 tubular boilers; iron cabin and ready for sea; built in 1866, thoroughly rebuilt in 1869.
ALSO
The years' lease of the southerly half of Pier No. 29 North River, and lease of first floor No. 177 West-st., New-York.

LEAVITT, STREBEIGH & CO., Auctioneers.

BIBLIOTHECA EXTRAORDINARY.—LEAVITT, STREBEIGH & CO., Clinton Hall, Astor Place, New-York, will sell by auction on WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY and FRIDAY EVENINGS, at 7½ o'clock, the library of James E. Harvey, Esq., Bellerville, N. J.
An extensive collection of books in the richest and most elegant bindings. This probably is the most extraordinary and costly collection ever offered for sale in this country. The library is small (the catalogues numbering only about 600 lots) but at a cost of more than $20,000, an average of more than $40 per lot. Catalogues, price 25 cents, may be had of the auctioneer.
Books on exhibition day and evening.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE OF SPOKE AND WHEEL STOCK, AND SPOKE AND WHEEL MACHINERY, LUMBER, &c.—The undersigned will sell at the Works of the Elizabethtown Steam Manufacturing Company, Elizabethport, N. J., on TUESDAY, Oct. 25, at 10 o'clock A. M., the entire stock of spokes, hubs and wheel stock; also the machinery, (including 14 spoke lathes,) contained in said works; also, the stock of timber and lumber on the premises, office furniture, &c.; the shop fitted, 20 tons and the lumber yard, 120 tons. Omit no time in calling on the above can be respected at the works at any time previous to the sale.
E. N. MILLER, Assignee.

JOSEPH HEGEMAN & CO., Auctioneers.

MONDAY, OCT. 24, AT 10½ A. M., AT NO. 186 Clinton-ave., near Lafayette, Brooklyn, a large and valuable collection of rosewood and walnut marble-top parlor, chamber and dining-room furniture, velvet and other carpets, rosewood piano, bronzes, rich china dinner and dessert sets, cut glass, kitchen utensils; also, bedsteads, wardrobes, &c.

JOHN H. DRAPER & CO., Auctioneers.

THE DELAWARE, LACKAWANNA and Western Railroad Company will sell
20,000 TONS SCRANTON COAL
AS PUBLIC AUCTION on WED

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THE ANCHOR LINE STEAMERS
SAIL EVERY SATURDAY AND ALTERNATE WEDNESDAY, TO AND FROM GLASGOW AND DERRY.

Passengers booked and forwarded from all railway stations in Great Britain, Ireland, Norway, Sweden, or Denmark to America, as safely, speedily, comfortably and cheaply as by any other route.

"EXPRESS" STEAMERS. | "EXTRA" STEAMERS.
Italia.....Sat., Oct. 22 | Iowa.....Wed., Nov. 16
Australia...Thurs., Oct. 27 | Caledonia...Wed., Nov. 23
Caledonia...Sat., Nov. 5 | Britannia...Wed., Nov. 30
Europa.....Sat., Nov. 12 | Iowa.....Wed., Dec. 14
Cambria....Sat., Nov. 19 | Caledonia...Wed., Dec. 21
Anchoria....Sat., Nov. 26 | Britannia...Wed., Jan. 11

Cabin, $60 and $70, according to location.
Cabin excursion tickets, good for 12 months, some of the best accommodations, $110.
Intermediate, $35; Steerage, $28.
Certificates, at REDUCED RATES, can be brought here by those wishing to send for their friends.
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Apply at the Company's offices, or to
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THE BRITISH AND NORTH AMERICAN ROYAL MAIL STEAM-SHIPS,
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Alepps, Tuesday, Oct. 25 | Abyssinia, Thurs., Nov. 3
Cuba, Wednesday, Oct. 26 | Tripoli, Saturday, Nov. 5
Malta, Thursday, Oct. 27 | Boston, Wednes., Nov. 9
Palmyra, Saturday, Oct. 29 | Malta, Thursday, Nov. 10
China, Wednesday, Nov. 2 | Java, Wednesday, Nov. 16

RATES OF PASSAGE.
By the steamers not carrying Steerage.
First Cabin, $140 gold. | Second Cabin, $90 gold.
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First Cabin, $80, gold. | Steerage, $35, currency.
Return tickets.....$150, gold.
Steerage tickets from Liverpool and Queenstown and all points of Europe at lowest rates.
Through Bills of Lading given for Boston, Glasgow, Havre, Antwerp and other ports on the Continent, and for Mediterranean ports.
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For steerage passage at No. 111 Broadway, Trinity Building.
CHAS. G. FRANCKLYN, Agent.

FOR LIVERPOOL.
(VIA QUEENSTOWN.)
CARRYING THE UNITED STATES MAILS.
THE LIVERPOOL AND GREAT WESTERN STEAM COMPANY will dispatch one of their first-class full-power iron screw steamships from PIER NO. 46 NORTH RIVER, EVERY WEDNESDAY
as follows:
ALABAMA, Capt. Forsyth, Oct. 26, at 2 P. M.
MINNESOTA, Capt. Wright, Wednesday, Nov. 2, at 11 A. M.
IDAHO, Capt. PICE.....Nov. 9, at 2 P. M.
NEVADA, Capt. GREEN.....Nov. 16, at 11 A. M.
COLORADO, Capt. WILLIAMS.....Nov. 23, at 2 P. M.
WISCONSIN, Capt. SHERMAN.....Nov. 30, at 11 A. M.
Cabin passage, $80, gold.
Steerage passage, (Office No. 20 Broadway,) $30, currency.
For freight or cabin passage apply to
WILLIAMS & GUION, No. 29 Wall-st.

NATIONAL LINE.
STEAM TO LIVERPOOL AND QUEENSTOWN,
From Pier No. 47 North River.
FRANCE, Gerdan, Saturday, Oct. 22, at 2 P. M.
ITALY, Kennedy, Saturday, Oct. 29, at 9 A. M.
Passage to Liverpool or Queenstown: Cabin, $70 and $80, currency; steerage, $28 currency.
Prepaid steerage tickets from Liverpool, Queenstown, Londonderry and Glasgow, $30 currency.
LONDON DIRECT.
Cabin passage, $85 and $95, currency.
Steerage, $30, currency.
For further particulars apply at the Company's office, No. 69 Broadway.
F. W. J. HURST, Manager.

ONLY DIRECT LINE TO FRANCE.
THE GENERAL TRANSATLANTIC COMPANY'S MAIL STEAM-SHIPS BETWEEN NEW-YORK AND HAVRE, CALLING AT BREST AND SOUTHAMPTON.
This only direct route for the French Mail and the Continent will sail from Pier No. 50 North River as follows:
ST. LAURENT.....LEBARS.....WEDNESDAY, Oct. 26
PEREIRE.....DAUER.....SATURDAY, Oct. 29
LAFAYETTE.....SOUBEAU.....SATURDAY, Nov. 12
VILLE DE PARIS.....SURMONT.....SATURDAY, Nov. 26
Rates of passage, payable in gold, (including wine:)
To BREST OR HAVRE—First cabin, $140; second cabin, $75.
Third steerage do not carry steerage passengers.
GEO. S. MORGAN, Agent, No. 3 Broadway.
SPECIAL NOTICE.—Hereafter the steamers of this line will touch at Southampton, England, to land passengers and specie.

FOR LIVERPOOL AND QUEENSTOWN.—Inman Line of Royal Mail Steamers are expected to sail as follows:
CITY OF BROOKLYN.....Saturday, Oct. 22, 2 P. M.
CITY OF BRUSSELS.....Saturday, Oct. 29, 10 A. M.
ETNA, (via Halifax).....Tuesday, Nov. 1, 12 M.
CITY OF LONDON.....SATURDAY and alternate SATURDAY, from Pier No. 45 North River.
RATES OF PASSAGE.

PAYABLE IN GOLD.		PAYABLE IN CURRENCY.	
1st Cabin.....	$75	1st Cabin.....	$80
To London.....	80	To London.....	85
To Halifax, N. S.....	20	To Halifax, N. S.....	15

Tickets can be bought here at moderate rates by persons wishing to send for their friends.
For further information apply at the Company's Office.
JOHN G. DALE, Agent,
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PACIFIC MAIL STEAM-SHIP COMPANY'S
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FREIGHT AND PASSAGE GREATLY REDUCED.
Through rates, New-York to San Francisco:
First Class, $125 to $175. Steerage, $65.
according to location of berth.
These rates include berths, board and all necessaries for the voyage.
Steamships of the above line leave Pier No. 42 North River, foot of Canal-st., at 12 o'clock noon,
ON 6TH AND 20TH OF EACH MONTH,
except when those days fall on Sunday, then the day previous.
One hundred pounds of baggage free to each adult. Medicine and attendance free.
Nov. 4, ARIZONA, Capt. Maury, connecting with SACRAMENTO, Capt. Farnsworth.
Steamer GREAT REPUBLIC will leave San Francisco Dec. 1, 1870, for China and Japan.
A freight for San Francisco will go as fast, and be received until 4 P. M. Thursday, Nov. 3.
A freight for Central America and South Pacific ports will be received until 4 P. M. on Wednesday, Nov. 2, only. All other ports afforded shippers an collecting inland charges, &c.
For freight or passage tickets, and all further information, apply at the office, Pier No. 42 North River.
F. R. BABY, Agent.

FOR NASSAU, N. P.,
CARRYING THE ROYAL MAILS.
Atlantic Mail Steam-ship Company's steamer COLUMBIA, Capt. M. Van Sicklen, will sail Nov. 5, at 3 P. M., from Pier No. 4 North River.
For freight or passage apply to
S. G. WHEELER, Jr., President,
No. 6 Bowling-green.

U. S. MAIL TO HAVANA.
ATLANTIC MAIL STEAM-SHIP COMPANY, sailing regularly every THURSDAY at 3 o'clock P. M. from Pier No. 4 North River.
MORRO CASTLE, Capt. R. ADAMS.....Oct. 27
COLUMBIA, Capt. R. VAN SICK, (via Nassau,).Nov. 3
MISSOURI, Capt. J. B. EDWARDS.....Nov. 10
For freights or passage apply to
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HAVANA, SISAL AND VERA CRUZ.
New-York and Mexican Mail Steam-ship Line—Sailing every twenty days, from Pier No. 37 East River.
The new steamer
CITY OF MERIDA, Capt. BAKER, WEDNESDAY, Nov. 2, 3 P. M.
CITY OF MEXICO, Capt. TROWBRIDGE, TUESDAY, Nov. 29, 3 P. M.
For freight or passage apply to
F. ALLEANDRE & SONS, No. 22 Broadway.

FOR SAVANNAH, GA.,
THE FLORIDA PORTS,
AND THE SOUTH AND SOUTH-WEST.
GREAT SOUTHERN FREIGHT AND PASSENGER LINE.
CENTRAL RAILROAD OF GEORGIA AND ATLANTIC AND GULF RAILROAD.
FOUR STEAMERS A WEEK,
TUESDAYS, THURSDAYS
AND SATURDAYS.
THE STEAM-SHIPS
SAN JACINTO, Capt. ARMS, SATURDAY, Oct. 22, from Pier No. 6 North River, at 3 P. M.
WM. R. GARRISON, Agent,
No. 5 Bowling-green.
HUNTSVILLE, Capt. CROWELL, SATURDAY, Oct. 29, from Pier No. 13 North River, at 3 P. M.
R. LOWDEN, Agent,
No. 92 West-st.
VIRGO, Capt. BULLEY, TUESDAY, Oct. 25, from Pier No. 16 East River, at 3 P. M.
Nos. 61 and 63 South-st.
HERMAN LIVINGSTON, Capt. CHESEBROUGH, THURSDAY, Oct. 27, from Pier No. 36 North River, at 3 P. M. LIVINGSTON, FOX & CO., Agents,
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Insurance by this line ONE-HALF PER CENT.
Superior accommodations for passengers.
Through rates and bills of lading in connection with the Atlantic and Gulf Freight line.
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Old line, low freight.
The well-known, first-class side-wheel steam-ship
BIENVILLE,
J. B. BAKER, Commander,
now at her dock receiving cargo, will leave Pier No. 34 North River on SATURDAY, 29th October, at 3 P. M. Freight taken for Mobile to be reshipped at New-Orleans.
For freight or passage, having superior accommodations, apply to
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No. 45 Liberty-st.

NOTICE TO TRAVELLERS.
Families or gentlemen desiring to travel on the Continent of Europe, who can afford the expense of a courier, should never leave Paris without one; their services are invaluable in relieving the traveler from troublesome details of carts and carriages, hotels, Paris, transportation and conveyance of baggage; in securing the best accommodation, in preventing the traveler from imposition, and an infinity of annoyances to which they are exposed in various parts of the Continent. Competent and trustworthy couriers and traveling servants may always be obtained by applying to the COURIER SOCIETY, No. 3 Rue d'Hiver, near the Tuileries Gardens, Paris.

UNITED STATES PASSPORT BUREAU.—United States Passports, indispensable to travelers, issued by J. B. MONRA, Passport Agent, No. 308 Broadway.

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FOR ST. THOMAS AND BRAZIL.
UNITED STATES AND BRAZIL STEAM-SHIP COMPANY.
REGULAR MAIL STEAMERS sailing on the 20th of every month:
MERRIMACK, Capt. Winn, Oct. 24.
SOUTH AMERICA, Capt. R. L. THELEMACHUS, Nov. 20.
NORTH AMERICA, Capt. G. H. SHOCKS, Dec. 20.
These vessels carry passengers and no cattle, and call at St. Thomas, Para, Pernambuco, Bahia and Rio de Janeiro, going and returning. For passage, or freight or passage, apply to
WM. R. GARRISON, Agent,
No. 5 Bowling-green, New-York.

DELAWARE AND NEW-YORK S. B. CO.
Pier No. 41 E. R.—The steamer W. W. COIT will leave for Lewes, Del., MONDAY and THURSDAY, at 4 P. M., taking freight for all points on the Junction and Breakwater and Delaware Railroads. Returning, leave Lewes WEDNESDAYS and SATURDAYS at 4 P. M. Splendid fishing at Lewes.
For freight and passage apply at office on pier.

INSTRUCTION.

CHARLISE FRENCH INSTITUTE,
FOR YOUNG GENTLEMEN,
Nos. 128, 130 AND 140 EAST 57TH-ST.
REOPENS SEPT. 19.
College, Business, West Point, Navy School. Modern languages. Boarding and Primary Departments. Gymnasium, &c.
Prospectus to be had.
Prof. ELIE CHARLISE, Director.

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BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL FOR YOUNG LADIES,
NO. 680 FIFTH-AVENUE.
Fourteenth year opens Sept. 20. Able masters in charge of the several departments.
Carriages provided for pupils at a distance.
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A SELECT BOARDING-SCHOOL FOR BOYS,
AT SING SING, ON THE HUDSON.
The course of instruction embraces the following departments: CLASSICAL, MODERN LANGUAGES, ELEMENTARY, MATHEMATICAL, ENGLISH STUDIES AND NATURAL SCIENCE. Classes are also provided in MUSIC, DRAWING, FENCING and ELOCUTION. A THOROUGHLY ORGANIZED MILITARY DEPARTMENT. RIDING SCHOOL with WELL-TRAINED HORSES, GYMNASIUM, &c. For further information address
BENJAMIN & ALLEN, Principals,
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LYON'S COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE,
NOS. 161 8TH-AV. AND 587 BROADWAY.
Corner 22d-st.—Fifteenth year.
Rooms spacious, light, dry and steam-heated. Young pupils with Mrs. Lyon, the mornings with Mr. Lyon—P. S. Lyon, principal, late assistant in the Colleges Lyon, and means that all from this school shall have ample Honor. In four years, 20 have entered College—2 Columbia, 2 Yale, 1 Harvard, 1 Williams, 1 Trinity, 1 Rutgers. Of all, only three were dismissed. Other classes fully ready. More pupils applied that past year than could be received. Light gymnastics. Only pure, conserved, working pupils desired.

MISS COMSTOCK'S,
NO. 22 WEST 37TH-ST.
ENGLISH, FRENCH AND GERMAN BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL.
Vacancies may be filled in October.
An EXCLUSIVELY French department (in French and German, if desired) modified after the best schools abroad, will be organized Oct. 1.
Mlle. Rose, of Geneva, will be added for regular course of tuition in English and French.
Address as mail or above.

MISS HENSDALE AND MRS. CHARLES KEITH,
WILL CONTINUE MRS. MACAULAY'S BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL FOR YOUNG LADIES AND CHILDREN, NOS. 372 AND 374 MADISON-AV.
The school will open Sept. 21.
The Professors and teachers formerly connected with it will be retained. Address as above.

MRS. GARRETSON'S
ENGLISH AND FRENCH BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL FOR YOUNG LADIES AND CHILDREN, NO. 36 WEST 47TH-ST.
will reopen TUESDAY, Sept. 20, 1870. Circulars may be obtained by application at above. Mrs. GARRETSON will be at home on and after Sept. 1.

FLUSHING INSTITUTE.
FLUSHING, N. Y.
Terms, $100 per quarter, from NOV. 22.
R. A. FAIRCHILD.

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FRENCH AND ENGLISH BOARDING and DAY SCHOOL FOR YOUNG LADIES and CHILDREN, CORNER PARK-AV. and 37TH-ST., (Murray Hill,) will reopen Tuesday, Sept. 20, 1870.
Address as above.

MRS. PARKS'
BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL FOR YOUNG LADIES,
No. 143 Madison-av., corner 14th.
Formerly Ferrit' Female Institute.
Reopens Sept. 21. For circulars apply as above.

MRS. PRINCE AND MISS LYONS'
French and English Boarding and Day School for young ladies, No. 26 West 38th-st., between Fifth and Sixth-avs., will open Sept. 14, 1870. Apply for circulars to above address.

WOODBURN.
A family and classical school for young boys. Autumn session opens Monday, Oct. 3. Address Rev. CHARLES H. ALLBOTT, Principal. The number of pupils is quite limited. The Winter term will begin on the 1st of November.

YONKERS MILITARY INSTITUTE.
Established 1854, for making boys intelligent, healthy, Christian men. Thorough teaching. Common sense management. Reopens Sept. 5. BENJAMIN MASON, Box No. 292 Yonkers, N. Y.

MRS. EDWARD S. WHITE,
No. 48 West 46d-st.,
opposite Reservoir Park. English and French Boarding and Day School for young ladies and children; will reopen Sept. 22.

MORRIS FEMALE INSTITUTE.
MORRISTOWN, N. J.
A SELECT FAMILY SCHOOL.
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No. 1,314 Broadway, next to 36th-st. Number limited; primary department and gymnasium.

"KINDERGARTEN SCHOOLS."—BEGIN their 10th year Sept. 26. For girls, 25 W. 43d-st., (removed from 48 W. 46th-st.) N. B.—Private rooms for mothers who prefer to have their children with them. Boys' school 1,430 B'way, cor. 40th-st. For admission or circulars apply to Miss E. M. COE, Prin., 15 W. 43d-st.

PROF. ROUSSEL'S FRANCO-AMERICAN INSTITUTE, No. 210 6th-av., reopens Sept. 19. Boarding and day pupils prepared for colleges or business. Instruction in the language of the school; primary department. Send for circular.

THE COLLEGIATE SCHOOL, (ESTABLISHED A. D. 1826,) No. 101 West 14th-st., corner of 6th-av., reopened Sept. 19. Boys thoroughly prepared for college or business.
Rev. E. S. CHAPIN, Ph. D., Rector.

ROCKLAND FEMALE INSTITUTE,
HAVERSTRAW, ON THE HUDSON, N. Y.—The Fall term will commence Sept. 15. For circulars with full particulars, address Rev. L. DELOS MANSFIELD, Principal.

MME. DU VERNET WILL REOPEN her Preparatory School for boys, and Miss M. F. DU VERNET, her classes for little girls, at No. 102 W. 38th-st., on first term, 6th-av., on TUESDAY, Sept. 20.

UNDERCLIFF YOUNG LADIES' SEMINARY, ON THE HUDSON, N. Y.—Opposite West Point. For circulars apply to Mrs. MOSES and Miss PECKERSGILL, of Home Journal, New-York. Terms moderate. Reopens Sept. 20.

MRS. J. T. BENEDICT'S BOARDING AND DAY School for young ladies and children, No. 5 West 34th-st., New-York, will reopen on Sept. 20. Particular attention given to French and German. For circulars call or address as above.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL OF THE UNIVERSITY, corner of Washington-place and Wooster-st., prepares boys for college or for business. Rev. J. HORSFIELD, G. CARLEE, Principals.

J. H. MORSE'S ENGLISH, CLASSICAL and Mathematical School reopens Sept. 19, at No. 1,307 Broadway, near 32d-st. For circulars, apply to J. H. MORSE, No. 737 7th-av.

MISS McINTOSH'S "HOME CLASS" for ladies, will reopen on MONDAY, Nov. 14, at her residence, No. 18 West 34th-st. First subject: "German history and literature."

IRVING INSTITUTE, TARRYTOWN, N. Y.—A Boarding School for Boys. The school year will commence Sept. 14. For circulars apply to D. S. ROWE, M. A., Principal.

DR. BERTHET'S FRENCH, ENGLISH AND CLASSICAL SCHOOL and Mathematical School opens Sept. 19, at No. 148 East 48th-st., two doors from Park-av. Prospectus at Lockwood's, No. 822 Broadway.

A. DODWORTH'S CLASSES WILL commence at the old location, No. 312 6th-av., corner of 26th-st., on MONDAY, Oct. 3, and at No. 681 6th-av., on SATURDAY, Oct. 1.

MISS PERINE WILL REOPEN HER English and French School, for young ladies and children, No. 124 East 40th-st., Sept. 20.

ADDRESS A. P. LADHER, PENNINGTON, N. J., for circulars for one of the best and cheapest schools.

MISS GLOSENS ENGLISH AND French school for Misses and children, No. 260 4th-av., will be reopened Sept. 12.

MRS. STORER'S BOARDING AND DAY School for young ladies, No. 19 West 45th-st., will open Sept. 20. Address as above.

MILITARY BOARDING-SCHOOL, White Plains, N. Y. Principal, O. R. WILLIS, Ph. D.

MISS SARAH SEDGWICK'S SCHOOL for boys will open Sept. 15 at No. 1,428 Broadway, between 39th and 40th-sts.

GOLDEN HILL SEMINARY FOR Young Ladies, Bridgeport, Conn. For circulars address Miss EMILY NELSON.

THE MISSES BUCKNALL'S ENGLISH and FRENCH Boarding-school, for young ladies, New-Brunswick, N. J., will reopen Sept. 20.

BENDAN'S SCHOOL FOR FORTY Boys only, Broadway, corner 52d-st.—English, Classical, French, German, Primary.

MISS WALSH'S ENGLISH AND FRENCH School for young ladies and children, 23 East 20th-st., near Madison-av., will reopen Thursday, Sept. 22.

INSTRUCTION.

MOUNT WASHINGTON COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE,
CLASSICAL, COMMERCIAL, ENGLISH, FRENCH AND GERMAN.
No. 49 Washington-square, (north.)
GEO. W. CLARKE, PH. D., PRINCIPAL.
Prospectus boys of all ages for business or college on receipt of stamp, and opens the twenty-eighth scholastic year Sept. 19. For references and particulars see circular, to be had at the Institute, which parents are invited to visit.

ANTHON GRAMMAR SCHOOL,
STH-AV., CORNER 20TH-ST.
In the departments of ancient and modern languages, English and mathematics, reopens MONDAY, Sept. 12; the Primary department Sept. 19, and the gymnasium Oct. 3. School hours, 9½ A. M. to 3½ P. M.

MME. FREDERICK JORGONT'S PEMMATT classes for younger ladies, No. 180 Lexington-av., will reopen on MONDAY, Sept. 26.

SCHOOL FOR BOYS.—MISS WARREN'S French and English School in Tryon's Lyric Hall, No. 723 6th-av., between 41st and 42d-sts.

RAND'S CLASSICAL, FRENCH AND English School, 1,267 Broadway, reopens Sept. 14.

PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS FOR REVENUE STAMPS.

Proposals will be received until TUESDAY, the 1st day of November next, at 12 o'clock at noon, for furnishing complete sets, in 12 designs of the following classes, denominations and sizes in present use, and as hereafter specified, viz.:

CLASS I.

ADHESIVE STAMPS, GENERAL AND PROPRIETARY, viz.:

GENERAL: 1 cent, 2 cents, 3 cents, 4 cents, 5 cents, 6 cents, 10 cents, 15 cents, 20 cents, 30 cents, 40 cents, 50 cents, 60 cents, 70 cents, 80 cents, $1, $1 20, $1 50, $1 60, $1 80, $2, $2 20, $2 40, $2 50, $3, $3 20, $3 40, $3 50, $4, $5.

PROPRIETARY.—1 cent, 2 cents, 3 cents, 4 cents and 5 cents.

CLASS II.

BEER STAMPS.—Hogsheads, barrels, half barrels, third barrels, quarter barrels, sixth barrels and eighth barrels.

CLASS III.

STAMPS FOR DISTILLED SPIRITS, TAX PAID.—Ten gallons, 20 gallons, 30 gallons, 40 gallons, 50 gallons, 60 gallons, 70 gallons, 80 gallons, 90 gallons, 100 gallons, 110 gallons, 120 gallons.

CLASS IV.

STAMPS FOR DISTILLED SPIRITS, "OTHER THAN TAX PAID."—Distillery warehouse, rectified spirits and wholesale liquor-dealers.

TOBACCO STAMPS.—Half pounds, 1 pound, 2 pounds, 3 pounds, 4 pounds, 10 pounds, 15 pounds, 20 pounds, 25 pounds, 30 pounds, 40 pounds and 50 pounds.

Class I. to be perforated, dried and perforated and pressed for use in sheets.

Class II. without gumming and perforation, pressed for use in sheets, 20 stamps on a sheet.

Class III. without gumming, to be engraved with nine designs, and one stamp attached to each stamp, each stamp and stub to be numbered in serial numbers, and bound in book form. Each book to contain 100 stamps, 4 on a page, and 25 pages to be bound in each book.

Class IV.—One-half pound to 5 pounds inclusive, without gumming and perforation, to be issued in sheets of 25 stamps on a sheet. All the other denominations mentioned in the schedule, to be engraved with each stamp and stub to be numbered in serial numbers, and bound in book form, each book to contain 100 stamps, 4 on a page, and 25 pages to be bound in each book. The 10-pound stamps to be as above, with the addition of the coupon attached to each stamp. Bids are also asked for the ½ to 5-pounds stamps inclusive, to be engraved with the coupon attached, and perforated with stubs, but without the coupons. Specimens of the above-mentioned stamps may be seen at the office of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, and state and internal revenue offices.

Bidders will state the price per thousand stamps, separately, inclusive and exclusive of paper, delivered at their place of business, and also at the office of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, Washington; the cost of delivery should be given, both inclusive and exclusive of the cost of packing and boxing.

Bids will be made separately for printing in one and two colors, the first being the principal color, to be permanent and the other fugitive.

All the other classes mentioned to be printed in permanent colors. The additional cost of printing a first upon the stamps printed in one color should also be added.

Bidders will state in their bids the mode of printing proposed by them, whether plate printing or surface printing, and will be required to furnish with a specimen of the style of engraving and the quality of paper proposed to be furnished, and the accepted bidder, before the final consummation of a contract, will be required to furnish a complete set of engravings of the several kinds and denominations of stamps.

The contract will require all designs, dies and plates to be prepared, and dies and plates to be kept from all others, and additional designs, dies and plates shall be made, either for the present kinds and denominations of stamps or others, without charge, at the pleasure of the Secretary of the Treasury, and the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, and all such designs, dies and plates to be the property of and delivered to the United States Treasury Department whenever demanded by said Department. Or whenever demanded by said Department. That the stamps shall be prepared and delivered of such kinds and denominations, and in such quantities and at such times, as the Commissioner of Internal Revenue for the time being may direct.

[A statement of the numbers of stamps issued during the fiscal year ended 30th June, 1870, may be seen upon the office of the Commissioner.]

And that all such other conventions which the Commissioner of Internal Revenue shall deem necessary to take in order to protect the Government against fraud or negligence on the part of the contractor or his employees, shall be taken at the proper charge and expense of the contractor.

No bids will be considered except from parties who have been or are actually engaged in the business of steel engraving and printing, and provided with all the necessary facilities to execute the work promptly, and give the requisite protection to the stamps, dies and plates in their possession.

Parties not known to the Department will furnish proof as to these points.

Bidders will state the time from the date of the contract in which they will be ready to commence delivering the stamps, and their daily capacity for delivery thereafter. Bids may be made for any one class of stamps mentioned in this notice, or for all.

Each bid must be accompanied by a guarantee of at least two responsible persons, that in case the bid is accepted and a contract entered into they will become sureties in such recognizance as may be required by the Government, for the faithful performance of the contract.

The contract to be made for not less than one year, nor more than three years, at the option of the Government. In awarding the contract, the Commissioner reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, in case it shall appear to be for the interest of the Government so to do. Proposals should be carefully sealed, and marked "Proposals for Revenue Stamps," and addressed to the Commissioner of Internal Revenue.

C. DELANO,
Commissioner of Internal Revenue.

Oct. 10, 1870.
Approved.
GEO. S. BOUTWELL, Secretary.

PROPOSALS FOR ARMY TRANSPORTATION IN TEXAS.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF TEXAS, CHIEF QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, AUSTIN, TEXAS, Sept. 15, 1870.

Sealed proposals in triplicate, will be received at this office, until 12 M., on THURSDAY, the 1st day of December, 1870, for the

TRANSPORTATION OF ARMY SUPPLIES

from the 1st of January, 1871, to the 31st day of December, 1871, on the following routes, viz.:

ROUTE NO. 1 (By Water.)

From the Mouth of Brazos Santiago, Texas, to Fort Brown, Texas, and

From Fort Brown, Texas, to Ringgold, Barracks, Texas, per 100 pounds, for white distance between each point.

Proposals will also state the rates at which bidders propose to transport to or from each of the above named posts, officers and enlisted men with their authorized allowances of baggage.

ROUTE NO. 2.

From Ringgold Barracks, Texas, to Fort McIntosh, Texas.

ROUTE NO. 4.

From Indianola, Texas, or the terminus of the Mexican Gulf Railroad to San Antonio, Texas.

ROUTE NO. 5.

From San Antonio, Texas, to

Fort McIntosh, Texas.	Fort Stockton, Texas.
Fort Duncan, Texas.	Fort Davis, Texas.
Fort Clark, Texas.	Fort Griffin, Texas.
Fort Lancaster, Texas.	Fort Richardson, Texas.
Fort Concho, Texas.	

And any posts that may be hereafter established in Western Texas, west of Fort Davis.

Posts west of Fort Davis will be supplied by Government teams.

ROUTE NO. 6.

From the Ship's Tackle at Galveston, Texas, to Brenham, Texas, or the terminus of the Texas Central Railroad.

ROUTE NO. 7.

From Brenham, Texas, or the terminus of the Texas Central Railroad, to—

Fort Griffin, Texas.	Fort Richardson, Texas.

And any posts that may be hereafter established south of Red River in North-Western Texas.

The transportation to be furnished exclusively by horse or mule teams.

Except in cases of emergency this service may be performed by one train per month.

Returning trains will transport supplies from point to point, on the direct route of return toward the initial point, or to any point or points beyond the first point of destination, at contract rates; and should trains be sent from their original point of destination to another point or points, half the contract rate shall be allowed for the distance traveled empty, on the amount of stores to be transported, and full rates for the distance traveled after loading.

Bidders will state the rate per 100 pounds per 20 miles by which they will transport supplies, which will include the transportation of supplies accompanying the movement of troops.

Each bid must be accompanied by a guarantee of at least two responsible persons (whose responsibility must be certified by the Clerk of a Court of Record) that the bidder is competent to carry out the contract; if awarded to him; and the residence and Post-Office address of such bidder and guarantor must be stated.

The amount of bond required from the contractor for each year will be clearly shown in the advertisement.

Forms of contract may be seen at the Quartermaster's office at Galveston, Indianola, San Antonio, Ringgold Barracks, Brownsville, Fort McIntosh, and at this office.

The Government reserves the right to use its own means of transportation for this service when deemed advisable to do so, and to reject any or all bids offered.

Any further information will be promptly furnished on application, in person or by letter, to this office.

Proposals must be plainly indorsed on the envelope, "Proposals for Army Transportation on Route No. ——," and addressed to the undersigned.

By order of Brevet Major-Gen. REYNOLDS, Commanding Department.

JAMES A. EKIN,
Deputy Quartermaster General, U. S. Army,
Chief Quartermaster, Department of Texas.

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BOARDING.—AN ELEGANT SUITE OF rooms, with private table, may be had at No. 6 East 23d-st., adjoining square.

MADISON-AV., NEAR 38TH-ST.—AN ELEGANT suite or five connecting rooms on the second floor, with every accommodation, will be rented to a select family at sale or party of gentlemen; private table if desired. Apply to KILPATRICK & HOLMES, No. 8 East 22d-st.

A PRIVATE FAMILY WILL RENT their entire second story, well furnished; all conveniences; private table if desired; neighborhood very desirable. Address HOMES, Box No. 143 Times Office.

ONE, TWO OR THREE GENTLEMEN can be accommodated with three rooms on second story of house No. 18 West 11th-st., between 5th and 6th-avs.; family private; house and neighborhood very good; in brownstone front; refrigerator.

NO. 220 18TH-ST., BETWEEN 3D AND 4TH-AVS.—Nicely furnished rooms to let, with board, on third, second and third floors; fine location; all modern improvements; terms reasonable, and pleasant home.

NEAR 5TH-AV., NO. 19 WEST 31ST-ST.—To let, an elegantly-furnished floor, consisting of five rooms, with superior board; only parties desiring first-class accommodations need apply; references required.

A LARGE HANDSOMELY FURNISHED Room, bed room connecting, to rent without board to a single gentleman desiring first-class accommodations; family references; Bleecker-st. 18th-st. Address H., Box No. 114 Times Office.

A PARTY OF GENTLEMEN CAN BE accommodated with two comfortably-furnished rooms, without board, on second floor; at a moderate rent. No. 128 Waverley-place, between 5th and 6th-avs.

AN ENTIRE SECOND FLOOR—HANDSOMELY furnished, with ample pantries, bath, &c., to rent, with private table and attendance to a small family; references given and required. Address No. 22 West 16th-st.

NO. 20 WEST 33D-ST.—HANDSOMELY furnished parlor floor, with private table, bath-room and closed connecting; Frenchman seek. Very pleasant if rented by the year.

NO. 13 WEST 30TH-ST.—THE ENTIRE parlor floor of this house, together or apart, rent or let with or without meals; a private table; newly and beautifully furnished; and in perfect order.

ELEGANT PARLOR FLOOR; ALSO second floor of four rooms, with private table; first-class; private tables; location unexceptionable; terms moderate. Apply at No. 45 East 21st-st.

ONE OR TWO SINGLE GENTLEMEN or a gentleman and wife, can procure a nicely furnished room with board in a private family, by applying NOW, 139 West 45th-st.

NO. 59 WEST 15TH-ST.—TO LET—Middle floor, front room. Also in back parlor floor unfurnished, containing three rooms, hot and cold water; 6d.

NO. 13 EAST 20TH-ST., NEAR 5TH-AV.—Double parlors, suitable for small family; furnished, to let, with board; private table if desired; French cooking; table d'hôte at 6½ P. M.

SUITES OF ROOMS ON FIRST AND Second floors in a handsomely-furnished house, with private table, if desired; exclusive use baths, &c.; location unexceptionable. Apply at East 21st-st.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET—TO A single gentleman, in a private family, at No. 46 East 20th-st., between 4th-av. and Broadway; references exchanged.

TO LET—A HANDSOME SECOND-STORY front room, furnished, to a family or party of gentlemen; house and table first-class; family small. Apply at No. 29 West 12th-st.

NO. 53 WEST 32D-ST.—LARGE HANDSOMELY-furnished rooms, on fourth floor, for gentlemen and their wives; superior table.

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NO. 51 EAST 10TH-ST., CLOSE TO Broadway.—Very desirable and handsomely-furnished rooms to let, with or without board; terms reasonable; unexceptionable.

WEST 32D-ST., NO. 242.—A SITTING-room and bedroom, on first floor; Also, a double and single room on second floor, at moderate price, with board.

A FAMILY RESIDING AT NO. 122 EAST 27TH-ST. will rent, with first-class board, an entire second floor, elegantly furnished, to responsible parties; location convenient to rail and stage routes.

NO. 27 WEST 16TH-ST., NEAR 5TH-AV.—Handsomely-furnished rooms to let, with board, suitable for gentlemen and their wives, or parties of single gentlemen; references required.

NO. 7 WEST 25TH-ST.—A SUITE OF handsomely-furnished rooms, also single rooms to let; house and location first-class, opposite the Hoffman and adjoining St. James.

NO. 40 EAST 31ST-ST., NEAR MADISON-AV.—Three or four elegantly-furnished rooms for gentlemen only, in suites or single. Breakfast if desired.

NO. 122 WEST 13TH-ST., BETWEEN 5th and 6th-avs.—Handsome suite, three rooms, parlor floor. Also, suite four rooms, third floor; first-class board.

NO. 4 EAST 20TH-ST., SECOND DOOR from 5th-av.—Handsomely-furnished rooms, with or without board; houses and table appointments unexceptionable; small private family.

NO. 8 EAST 9TH-ST., NEAR 5TH-AV.—Entire parlor floor, and large rooms on second floor, to let, with private table; references.

FIFTH-AV., NO. 307, NEAR 31ST-ST.—Entire third floor, with two rooms on second, to let, with private table. Reference.

NO. 182 LEXINGTON-AV.—PLEASANT rooms and board for gentleman and wife or single gentleman; references required.

NO. 269 WEST 33D-ST.—ELEGANT rooms to let, with board, private table if desired; house and location first-class; references.

NO. 4 EAST 10TH-ST., ONE DOOR FROM 5TH-AV.—Rooms en suite (whole floor) to let, with private table only.

NO. 34 WEST 25TH-ST., NEAR MADISON-square.—Desirable furnished room for one or two gentlemen, without board; choice location.

A VERY DESIRABLE SUITE OF rooms, with private table, for one or two small families. Apply at No. 33 West 31st-st.

ELEGANTLY-FURNISHED ROOMS with board, for small family; private; references exchanged. Apply at No. 33 West 8th-st.

TO LET—WITH BOARD, TWO ADJOINING front rooms, together or singly. No. 158 West 45th-st., near Broadway.

COUNTRY BOARD.

COUNTRY BOARD.—FOR FALL AND Winter; three or four rooms with board,

POLITICAL.

PUBLIC DEBT—THEN AND NOW.

Within nineteen months the public debt has been reduced $175,545,607. Let all whom it may take note of the following tables:

Grant reduces Principal	$175,545,607
Yearly Interest reduced	6,761,679

FUNDED STOCKS (IN GOLD) OF UNITED STATES.

Date.	Coupon.	Registered.	Total.
5-20s, 1862	$654,317,600	$113,182,200	$767,499,800
5-20s, 1864	51,046,350	65,051,300	116,097,700
5-20s, 1865	193,945,200	95,291,050	287,236,250
5-20s, 1865, new	231,578,400	75,132,500	307,711,900
5-20s, 1867	203,497,100	92,043,100	294,540,200
5-20s, 1868	33,211,700	6,866,300	40,078,000
Total 5-20s	$1,368,596,350	$447,156,150	$1,815,754,500
10-40s, 1864	39,017,450	154,292,050	193,309,500
10-40s, 1865	62,984,050	130,653,200	194,637,250
10-40s, 1867	947,000	6,045,000	6,992,000
10-40s, 1868	14,060,000	5,940,000	20,000,000
Total	$1,485,605,850	$744,087,000	$2,229,692,850
Total, March 4, 1869			2,407,846,150
Reduction of Funded Debt			$178,154,300

Yearly Gold Interest charge, March 4, 1869, amounted to	124,234,879
Present yearly charge	115,473,200
Reduction in Interest charge	$8,761,679
Net Treasury Circulation, March 4, 1869	417,617,106
Net Treasury Circulation, Oct. 1, 1870	355,792,022
Reduction in 19 months	$61,825,087
Reduction of United States Stocks, as above	178,154,300
Whole reduction in 19 months	$175,545,607

THE PRICE OF APOSTASY.

Names of Members of the Republican General Committee who Hold Position by Favor of Tammany Hall.

We have prepared the following names of members of the Republican General Committee who hold avowed positions by the favor, past or present, of Tammany Hall. If there are any errors in it, they are more likely to be errors of omission than otherwise. It takes no account of men who are in the pay of Tammany Hall in less defined, but not less demoralizing positions, as MARTIN B. BROWN, printer to the various City Departments; nor the other BROWN, of the Twenty-first District, who does the plumbing of the Police and Health Departments, nor of RUFUS F. ANDREWS, Ring receiver and counsel, whose name appears in every tax levy. Neither does the list include those who draw monthly pay from the Tammany secret service fund; nor does it include the Presidents of District Associations, who are avowedly in the pay of Tammany, and control the representatives from their districts in the General Committee; nor the names of "Hank" SMITH or BEN. MANNING. The list is equally defective in not mentioning those who have just been appointed to positions under Tammany, or have been promised them, like DANIEL D. CONOVER and others.

First and Second Assembly Districts—Mark Lantham, Clerk under Health Board; Gilbert Love, under Commissioners of Charities and Correction; Wm. Buckley, a Court officer; Amos Stookey, an employe at Police Headquarters.

Eighth District—David Miller, Deputy Tax Commissioner; Wm. F. Allen, Fire Department.

Ninth District—James Galvay, Fire Commissioner; William E. Noble, Inspector Board of Works; John M. Costa; Clerk Police Court.

Tenth District—Eli Taylor, Health Department and "Secret Service."

Eleventh District—Cummings H. Tucker, new Court-house.

Twelfth District—Wm. Burns, Veterinary Surgeon Fire Department; James McCarthy, Health Department.

Fourteenth District—Frederick C. Wagner, Deputy Tax Commissioner.

Fifteenth District—James T. Cavanhoven, Commissioner of Charities.

Sixteenth District—Henry Beeny, Health Department; Wm. E. Duryea, Superintendent of Docks.

Eighteenth District—Thomas B. Asten, Assessor Tax Office.

Twentieth District—Geo. B. Van Brunt, Clerk to Police Court; John W. Oliver, Clerk Eighth District Court.

Twenty-first District—Chas. H. Cooper, Clerk to Health Department; A. Brown, Jr., Clerk to Health Department; Frank L. Raymond, Clerk to the Board of Public Works.

In addition to the above, Philip E. Hellick, of the Third District, has a position at Police Headquarters; Geo. McGrann, of the Fourth District, in the Health Department; Samuel Nash and Albert Howe, of the Fifth District, in the Board of Public Works; and Eugene Sullivan at Police Head-quarters.

ELECTION FRAUDS.

Another Repeater Arrested—Justice Hartmann's Case—Decision in Regard to the Powers of Supervisors.

At the United States Commissioner's office, yesterday, HERMAN SCHRODER was charged by Special Deputy Marshal EDWARD T. ANDERSON with having falsely registered in the Fourth District of the Eighth Ward, under the name of JOHN MOORE, a legal voter. The accused was held in $5,000 bail to answer. An examination was demanded in the case of Civil Justice ANTHONY HARTMANN, accused of having interfered with a United States supervisor of election. Assistant District-Attorney DAVIS said that he had not been able to find the principal witness for the Government. Counsel for the accused contended that his client was a prominent and respectable man in the community, and that he was entitled to a hearing. The Commissioner announced that HARTMANN forfeited his right to a preliminary examination by giving bail to appear at Court, and that he would not hear the case, unless the prosecuting officer gave his consent.

It is understood that HARTMANN's case will be immediately taken before the Grand Jury, and that, if indicted, he will be tried next week.

MICHAEL MEARES, charged with fraudulent registration, was held for trial.

Commissioner OSBORN rendered a decision, yesterday, in the case in which Philip Cantillon, James Burns, Patrick McCarthy, Patrick Cullen and James McCarthy, were charged with having interfered with RICHARD O'CONNOR, United States supervisor of election, at No. 88 Greenwich-street. He held that the complainant had no authority as a supervisor under the Congressional law to make arrests, and he accordingly discharged the accused.

Several new warrants have been issued for the arrest of persons who are alleged to have violated the law at Monday's registration.

Naturalization—The Frauds of 1868 Demonstrated.

In the month of October, preceding the election of 1868, there were nearly 40,000 persons naturalized in the Supreme, Superior and Common Pleas Courts of this City—the larger share of them in the two first-named Courts. The votes cast in this City by persons thus naturalized elected JOHN T. HOFFMAN Governor of the State. Republicans have always claimed, and the investigations of the Congressional Committee conclusively proved, that the larger share of these naturalizations were procured by fraud, forgery and perjury. But if there was any lingering doubt in the mind of any one that such was the case, it will be effectually dispelled by a comparison of the naturalization records of October, 1868, with those of the present month. There is no more difficulty now than it formerly to get men naturalized now than there was then. The law of Congress to prevent naturalization frauds puts no obstacle of any kind in the way of any man's getting his papers who is legally entitled to be naturalized. It simply imposes heavy penalties upon fraudulent naturalization, and the forgery and perjury by which it was accompanied in 1868. There is no good reason, therefore, why there should not have been as many persons naturalized this month as there was in October, 1868, provided the naturalization business of that year was honestly conducted. Indeed, there ought to be more now than then, because the immigration of 1868, which would naturally seek to be naturalized in 1868, was much smaller than that of 1868, whose naturalization would come due this year. Now, what are the figures? Against the 40,000 naturalized in October, 1868, we have less than 5,000 naturalized this month. Could there be a clearer proof than this of the wholesale frauds committed in 1868, and at the same time of the expediency and absolute necessity of the law of Congress preventing their repetition.

Tweed's Election Wrongs.

From the Evening Post Press.

Investigation in connection with the registry develope the following facts as occurring in 1868:

At the residence of Wm. M. TWEED, No. 197 Henry-street, five persons were falsely registered as living with him.

At No. 167 of the same street Justice SHANDLEY, determined not to be "over-reached" that time, puts in five in the same way.

At No. 159 of the same street Coroner P. H. KENNAN registered eleven from his house.

PETER MITCHELL, of No. 64 Greenwich-st., had twenty-four registered from his house, when only three were legal voters.

From Nos. 20, 38, 40 and 42 Bowery crowds of repeaters were registered.

Shall this iniquity be permitted again, or will it take another earthquake shock to awake us from our moral lethargy?

Staten Island Politics.

The Woodford and Kaufman Campaign Clubs, of New-Brighton and West Brighton, held a most enthusiastic meeting last night at Demarcy's Hall, New-Brighton, which was crowded to every part. Hon. GEO. W. CURTIS addressed the meeting at length, after which resolutions were adopted indorsing the Republican ticket.

The Republicans of Richmond County held their Convention yesterday, at Clifton, and after indorsing the State ticket and the nomination of C. C. NORVELL for Congress, named the following county officers: Assemblyman, W. L. Judd; Sheriff, Moses Alston; County Clerk, W. Connor; County Treasurer, B. Purnell; Associate Justice, M. Hillyer; Coroner, S. Randolph.

MISCELLANEOUS LOCAL POLITICS.

Figures for Tax-Payers.

The following table, showing the comparison of items and amounts contained in tax levies since 1866, with the Tammany Tax Levy of the present year, from the *Free Press*, is interesting to tax-payers:

	1869.	1870.	Increase.
Mayor's office	$19,150	$21,650	$2,500
Common Council, (pay of members)	28,160	328,000	299,840
Contingents	7,200	42,000	
Election expenses	20,000	165,000	165,000
Markets	7,400	94,400	87,000
Station-houses and repairs	38,000	228,000	190,000
Sewers and repairs	24,000	124,000	100,000
Asphaltes and repairs	25,000	125,000	100,000
Real estate and rents	65,000	194,000	129,000
Supplies for and cleaning public offices	30,000	180,000	150,000
Board of Health	40,000	190,000	150,000
Printing, advertising, stationery	100,000	265,000	165,000
Maps, duplicating recorded deeds	10,000	220,000	210,000
Contingencies	70,000	200,000	130,000
Coroners' fees	12,000	51,000	39,000
Putting up and repairs of public buildings	30,000	130,000	100,000
Street cleaning and paving	800,324	1,848,138	1,178,814
Lighting City with gas	400,000	1,072,000	672,000
Lighting and heating city offices	....	30,000	....
Salaries, exclusive of Mayor and legislative offices	300,000	2,400,000	2,081,000
Law expenses (attorney and counsel fees)	....	178,000	178,000
Judgments against the City	....	397,000	397,000
Armories and drill rooms	....	150,000	150,000
Extension Dock Commissioners	....	100,000	100,000
Police Court-house in Ninth District	....	100,000	100,000
Court-house, including, if authorized by act of 1870	....	600,000	600,000
Fire Alarm Telegraph bonds	....	400,000	400,000
Water stock bonds	....	1,000,000	1,000,000
Dock bonds	....	2,000,000	2,000,000
Total increase			$11,625,300

Ninth Assembly District Woodford and Kaufman Club—Trustees Denounced.

A large and enthusiastic meeting of the Ninth Assembly District Woodford and Kaufman Club was held, last evening, at Bleecker Building, GEORGE LAYLAND presiding. Hon. G. STRATTON made a stirring address. He congratulated the genuine Republicans of the District on the triumph of their party at the County Convention, held on Thursday evening, and on the overthrow of the machinations of the Tammany Ring. At the conclusion of his address the genuine Republican Assembly delegation of this district entered the room and announced that they had unanimously nominated JOSEPH CHAMBERLAIN.

Mr. FARR then addressed the meeting, and contrasted Mr. CHAMBERLAIN with Mr. COSTER, who had previously been nominated by the pseudo-Republican delegation, which, he said, was in the pay of Tammany.

The following resolution was then proposed by Mr. CALLAHD:

Resolved, That the earnest Republicans of the Ninth District Woodford and Kaufman Club heartily indorse the noble and patriotic stand taken by the Republican State Central Committee, in resolving that faithful Republicans can best subserve the interests of the Republican Party in the coming election by uniting and acting with all enlightened Democrats who are opposed to the Tammany Ring which is undermining the very foundation of our glorious institutions.

After a short discussion, the word "organizations" was substituted for "Democrats," and the resolution was unanimously adopted.

Three cheers were then given for Mr. CHAMBERLAIN, and the meeting adjourned.

Reform in Municipal Affairs—A New German Club.

A meeting of German citizens with a view to taking action to effect reforms in the management of municipal affairs was held at Germania Hall in Avenue A, last night, which was organized by electing Mr. ROCKE Chairman. The Chairman said that he believed that a new party was to be formed to break down the rule of Tammany, and thus to effect reforms at least for a few years, for he had no doubt that the new party to be formed will in the course of time be as corrupt as any previous party organizations. Dr. FRECH was appointed Secretary, from whose remarks, it appeared that the purpose of the meeting was to revive the old German Democratic Central Club, which some years ago was dissolved in consequence of the intrigues of Coroner SCHIMMEL, as the speaker maintained. Coroner SCHIMMEL having organized the so-called German Democratic Union General Committee, a Tammany Hall organization, because he was not elected President of the Club on one occasion. The German Democratic Central Club, the speaker argued, was instrumental in the election of Mayors GUNTHER and HOFFMAN. The speaker, therefore, urged that an organization, as proposed, be formed at once, and that action be taken to organize Ward organizations, who shall each elect delegates to a German Democratic Central Club, which should communicate and co-operate with other similar organizations. A resolution to this effect was adopted. Further action was postponed until the next meeting.

Soldiers' and Sailors' General Committee—Men Heroes Greeley on the Situation.

The Soldiers' and Sailors' General Committee held its regular weekly meeting last evening, at the corner of Broadway and Twenty-second-street. Gen. ALFRED PLEASONTON occupied the chair, and Capt. MICHAEL CHAGAN filled the office of Secretary. Gen. KETCHUM, on behalf of the Committee of Conference, reported progress. Col. BULLOCK, on behalf of the Finance Committee, reported the receipt of one from Gen. BICKLES, United States Minister to Spain. Twenty-two hundred and fifty men, all of whom served in the army and navy of the United States, were announced as represented by the Committee.

While awaiting the arrival of Hon. HORACE GREELEY, the speaker of the evening, the meeting was entertained by the Union Glee Club, with some patriotic songs, accompanied by a Shaker dance.

Col. BULLOCK followed in an address, in which he referred to the corruptions which had been practiced by the Democratic Party, which by its Know-nothing practices had acquired corrupt control. He charged that on the morning of election the Police would be furnished with the names of those who should be admitted, but they would find that the Republicans would open a door for their constituents, to which policemen would not have access. If at last the circumstances demanded it, the client yet concerned man of Washington will not hesitate to invoke the strong arm of the Government to preserve to each citizen his inalienable right of suffrage.

Hon. HORACE GREELEY was then introduced to the Club, and greeted with hearty applause. Let the dead bury their dead, he said. With peace conferences and peace triumphs he did not wish to deal, but rather with the living issues of the present. Those before him were soldiers, and had met face to face those who, with musket in hand and gray uniforms, had sought to disrupt this Union. These were enemies, but there were open enemies, and our soldiers had no trouble in even seeing the whites of their eyes, if they only got close enough. But a more deadly enemy was he who, by ballot-box stuffing and fraudulent votes, sought to corrupt the purity of our system of government. The Government of LOUIS NAPOLEON was a despotism, but there was no deception about it. All knew that it was a despotism. He (himself had lived under it, but he was not deceived as to its character. It was a square piece of business. But here, when a man sees others voting twenty times to his once, he can but be convinced that that despotism is being combined with all the frauds of a false Republic. This, like all other evils, grows from bad to worse. Thirteen years ago, when WALBRIDGE and SICKLES were running in opposition, the latter was elected, and afterward the man who counted him in apologized to WALBRIDGE for the act, and confessed his guilt. Today, as Mayor HALL says, it is good counting that wins. Eight years ago TWEED was running for Mayor, and was defeated. Then he was poorer than he (Mr. GREELEY) was. That perhaps, was the cause of his failure. Now that he is worth $7,000,000 he would run much better. Mr. GREELEY proceeded at some length to show how the Tammany Party had cheated Gen. GRANT out of the vote of the State of New-York at the last Presidential election, by issuing seventy-five thousand false naturalization papers; how ROBERTS was elected out of his election as Mayor by HOFFMAN, and how, in the coming election, by redistricting the City, preparations had been made to secure success to the Democratic Party, and then concluded by exhorting the soldiers to do their share in preventing false counting and voting, and punish those who make themselves great men and rich by it. [Prolonged applause.]

A committee, consisting of twenty-one, was then announced from the Soldiers' and Sailors' Club, of which Col. DUGANNE is President, and on motion a similar committee was appointed to meet them and settle all existing difficulties.

Major HAGGERTY then addressed the assemblage, after which the meeting adjourned.

Woodford and Kaufman Campaign Club No. 2, Fifth Assembly District.

A meeting of the Woodford and Kaufman Club No. 2, of the Fifth Assembly District, was held last evening at the Spring House, No. 242 Spring-street, to take action on the recommendation of the Republican Central Committee with regard to supporting the Independent Democratic ticket at the coming County and State election. This Club is composed entirely of colored citizens, and numbers over four hundred members. The meeting last evening was called to order by GEORGE W. FRANCIS, President of the Club, who made a brief address on the political duties of colored citizens, and the necessity of their being guided in their action by experienced leaders. He said that now there were two kinds of Republicans, but colored men should not be influenced by their squabbles; that they should not allow themselves to be used to grind anybody's axes—that their motto should be simply GEN. GRANT, Gen. WOODFORD and general success.

The speaker then alluded to a pretended report, published in a sensational morning paper, of a meeting of colored citizens, said to have been held at that hall on Thursday evening, at which resolutions denunciatory of Gen. WOODFORD were passed. Mr. FRANCIS said he was prepared to prove by an affidavit of the owner of the hall that no such meeting was held, and that no meeting of any kind was held in the hall on that evening. The report was, therefore, simply a ruse of the enemy to mislead the public.

A resolution was then adopted, indorsing the recommendation of the Central Committee that the Independent Democratic ticket be supported at the coming election.

Speeches by Mr. MYERS and others were then made, after which the meeting adjourned.

Republican Assembly Nominations.

The Republican Assembly Conventions met last evening and made the following nominations:

Fifth District—WM. G. HAWES.

Sixth District—HUGH NEARY.

Seventh District—GEO. E. HILL. In this district there were two Conventions, one of which nominated Mr. HILL. The former adjourned to the call of the Chair.

Twelfth District—GEORGE SCHAEFFER.

Thirteenth District—CHAS. S. SPENCER by the unanimous vote of the Republican party and J. G. ARMSTRONG by the opposition.

Fourteenth District—JOHN H. READY.

In the Third District the regular Republicans had assembled in convention, with ADOLPHUS BOMEZ as Chairman, when a number of men, headed by "Tommy" MULLIGAN, entered the room and attempted to disturb the harmony of the meeting. Seeing that trouble was brewing, a member of the Convention moved to adjourn. This was unceremoniously done. Before the room was cleared, however, a few of the outsiders assaulted some of the members of the Convention, and a row ensued, but was promptly quelled. The party which made the adjournment will meet again. In the Twentieth District, the proprietor of the hall where the Convention was appointed to be held adjourned to admit the delegates, on account of the row which had taken place there at the last meeting.

Twenty-First Assembly District Woodford and Kaufman Club—Attempted Disturbance by Tammany Men.

The Twenty-first Assembly District Woodford and Kaufman Campaign Club assembled, last evening, at their head-quarters, corner of Third-avenue and One Hundred and Nineteenth street, in great force, and were addressed by Dr. Alexander Wilbur, Messrs. R. D. Lapaugh, J. P. Manning, Ethan Allen and Robert Crews. Resolutions were adopted indorsing the Administration of Gen. GRANT, ratifying the nominations of Gen. WOODFORD and the rest of the State ticket, and of the nomination of WM. A. DARLING for Congress, and WM. F. HARRODEN for member of Assembly. Resolutions complimentary to Collector MURPHY, Postmaster JONES and Marshal SHARPE were also adopted. The Tammany Republicans of the district held a meeting in a room adjoining, with C. S. HULL as Chairman, and ABRAM BROWN as Secretary, went through the farce of nominating REP. A. DEWEY as a candidate for Assemblyman. After their adjournment they attempted, under the lead of FRANK RAYMOND, in the employ of the Croton Board; ALBERT BROWN, Clerk in the Croton Board, and PATRICK FINN, an avowed Democrat, to disturb the regular Republican meeting.

The party forced their way into the hall, and one of their number proposed three cheers for REP. L. DEWEY. The cheers were drowned by the groans of the assembly. A disturbance ensued, in which Mr. WM. WAIN, the President of the Club, ordered the Tammany men out of the hall, and they seeing that they were to be met with firmness and determination, left the regular masters of the situation, and made their exit to the music of the Wan Glee Club, who were singing the "Star of the Free."

Tammany School Trustee Nominations.

The Conventions to nominate School Tammany Trustees were held last evening, with the following result:

First Ward—Denis Keenan.
Second Ward—Michael Carmody.
Third Ward—Karsten Otterson.
Fourth Ward—Thomas Driscoll.
Fifth Ward—Frederick G. Gude.
Sixth Ward—Adjourned.
Seventh Ward—John Ford.
Eighth Ward—Luke C. Grimes.
Ninth Ward—Adjourned.
Tenth Ward—Adjourned.
Eleventh Ward—Joseph Koch.
Twelfth Ward—John Strattton.
Thirteenth Ward—Francis Coan, (for long term.) Adjourned to nominate candidate for short term.
Fourteenth Ward—Ambrose O'Neill.
Fifteenth Ward—James W. Fowler.
Sixteenth Ward—Bernard Crogan, (long term;) Edward C. Berrian, (short term.)
Seventeenth Ward—Adjourned.
Eighteenth Ward—John Carroll.
Nineteenth Ward—Judge Thomas Pierson.
Twentieth Ward—John H. Holsderber, (long term;) Wm. Salmon, (short term.)
Twenty-first Ward—Adjourned.
Twenty-second Ward—John Morgan.

Young Democracy Nominations.

The Young Democracy, last evening, made the following nominations:

Congress—Fourth District, John Fox. Fifth District, John Morrissey.

Assembly—Thirteenth District, Michael Gallagher.

School Trustees—Thirteenth Ward—For School, (short term,) Washington Thomas.

Kings County Democratic Convention Nominations.

The Kings County Democratic Convention for the nomination of candidates for the offices of Register, Surrogate, Superintendent of the Poor, County Clerk and Justice of the Court of Sessions, met yesterday in the rooms of the General Committee on Court-street and made the following nominations:

For Register—HUGH MCLOUGHLIN.
For County Clerk—GEORGE G. HERMAN.
For Surrogate—WILLIAM D. WEBDER.
For Superintendent of the Poor—PAUL S. BARRET.
For Justice of the Court of Sessions—STEPHEN J. VOORHEES.

Speeches of the customary character were made by the business, after which the Convention adjourned.

Democratic Congressional Nominations.

The Democrats of the Third Congressional District met yesterday, and nominated THOMAS KINSELLA, editor of the *Eagle*, for Congress; and in the Second District, Gen. SCOURN was placed in nomination. Gen. KINSELLA took occasion to make a long speech, in which he declared himself a friend of the working man.

GENERAL NOTES.

Senator TRUMBULL spoke at Springfield, Ill., on Tuesday, mainly on the subject of finance, advocating free banking.

Ex-Gov. SEYMOUR made a speech at Rome on Tuesday night, and endeavored to convince his auditors that the elections in this City are always fairly conducted.

Two years ago, the Democrats carried the Ninth Congressional District of Ohio by 1,448 majority. This year the Republicans have 1,151 majority in the district.

Gov. STEVENSON, of Kentucky, has appointed delegates to the National Capital Removal Convention, to be held in Cincinnati on the 26th inst. Hon. GARRETT DAVIS heads the list.

At the recent election, the total vote for Secretary of State in Hamilton County, Ohio, which includes Cincinnati, was but 22,826, while in 1869, the total vote for the same office was 33,500.

The Pittsburg *Commercial* says that the reform movement in Allegheny, Penn., originated with and was supported to the end by leading Protectionists, and the question of free trade had nothing to do with the matter.

Senator CHRISTOPHER P. NORTON refuses to accept the Democratic nomination for Congress in the Sixteenth District of this State, and says he announced his unwillingness to be a candidate before the assembling of the Convention.

The Massachusetts Democratic State Central Committee has organized by electing S. B. SPINNEY, of Boston, Chairman; A. N. DYER, Jr., of Boston, and JERE. GERCHELL, of Blackstone, Secretaries, and GEO. L. CHESBORO, of Northboro, Treasurer.

Hon. B. GRATZ BROWN has returned to St. Louis, after thoroughly canvassing the northern and north-western portion of Missouri. The St. Louis *Democrat* thinks there is no longer a shadow of doubt that Col. BROWN will be elected Governor by a handsome majority.

The Indianapolis *Sentinel* of Wednesday gives official returns from eighty-two counties in Indiana, leaving ten to be heard from, and makes the majority of the Democratic candidate for Secretary of State 2,605. It thinks the majority will not vary much from this when the official returns are all in. The *Sentinel* claims a working Democratic majority in the State Senate, and from six to eight majority in the House.

The State Central Committee of the Labor Reform Party of Massachusetts, when they deposed their candidate for Lieutenant-Governor, declared that he had "forfeited his character as a member of the Party by attending the Democratic State Convention as a delegate, by sitting therein as 1 Vice President, and by accepting their nomination as a Democrat, as well as by the offensive speech with which he accompanied his acceptance of that nomination."

MISCELLANEOUS.

The Third Congressional District of Illinois—Mr. Medill Withdrews as Candidate for Nomination—Other Political Matters.

CHICAGO, Oct. 21.—Mr. MEDILL, of the *Tribune*, publishes a card this morning withdrawing his name from the contest for the Republican Congressional nomination. In the card Mr. MEDILL says:

"At the solicitation and persuasion of many of the best citizens of Cook County, I was induced a fortnight ago, quite reluctantly, to consent to permit my name to be used in connection with the nomination for Congress before the meeting Republican Convention. I coupled the consent with the distinct condition that I would not, under any circumstances, enter into a struggle for it, that I would not be embarrassed by the employment of any means that I deemed disreputable or corrupt; that I would purchase no votes and pack no ward delegations; that I would give no improper pledges to individuals or cliques or trust, and that I would no patronage or official influence supposed to attach to the office of Congressman, if elected thereto. I insisted that I might be left free and untrammeled to do duty according to my conscience and convictions, as when, you now see me in the Constitutional Convention, so that I might have but one aim, one ambition, and that to serve you to the best of my power and ability. I did not understand then the gravity and responsibility of the position, nor the difficulty of filling it usefully and acceptably; nor was I blinded by any vanity or caution to suppose I could better represent you than many other men among whom you might make your choice. I had nothing to promise but the honest efforts of a plain, unpretentious man, who would be guided by experience, common sense, and patriotic purposes. Within the past week, however, it became apparent that my nomination was being resisted by the employment of means and influences which I could not approve, and my friends in vain would be forced to contend against applications that will render a free and unbiased selection of a candidate simply impossible. In accordance with my original stipulation, therefore, I feel my duty to go before the Convention understandingly and frankly."

MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., Oct. 21.—Hon. CHARLES ST. JOHN, of Port Jervis, was nominated to Congress today by the Republicans of the Eleventh District.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Oct. 21.—The National Labor Reformers have called a meeting to nominate a ticket for county officers.

The Ohio Elections—Official Returns from Eighty-five Counties.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Oct. 21.—Official returns from eighty-five counties in Ohio, and reported returns from the remaining three counties, give SHERWOOD, (Rep.,) for Secretary of State, 221,798 votes; HEELEY, (Dem.,) 204,972 votes, and ODELL, (Prohibitionist,) 2,364 votes. SHERWOOD's majority over HEELEY is 16,761; over both, 15,397. The Republican loss in Ashtabula County is 1,413. The total vote in the State is only 429,523, a falling off of 38,709 on last year. CAMPBELL (Democrat) has a majority over SCHENCK for Congress in the Third District. LAMSON (Democrat) has 3,600 majority in the Fifth District; FOSTER (Republican) 776 majority in the Ninth District; BURNHAM, (Republican) 477 majority in the Sixteenth District, and AMBLER, (Republican) 2,177 majority in the Seventeenth District.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

LONDON, Oct. 21.—American Securities opened quiet and steady. Stocks opened quiet. At 1½ P. M. the market was both was quiet. The course of the market is indicated by the following table:

	11½ A. M.	1½ P. M.
Consols for money	92¾	....
Consols for account	92¾	....
United States 5-20s, 1862	89¾	90¼
United States 5-20s, 1865	89¾	89¾
United States 5-20s, 1867	89¾	....
United States 10-40s	87¾	....
New-York Central Railroad shares	114	....
Erie Railroad shares	16¾	....
Atlantic and Great Western	29	....

[The closing quotations were not received.]

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 21.—COTTON opened quiet and steady; Middling Uplands, 9¼d.; Middling Orleans, 9¾; the sales of the day are estimated at 12,000 bales. The sales of the week were 103,000 bales, of which 15,000 bales were for export and 3,000 bales for speculation. Stock on hand, 520,000 bales, of which 157,000 bales are American. The receipts of the week were 64,000 bales, of which 35,000 bales were American. BREADSTUFFS—Wheat, 10s. 10d. ⅌ cental for California White; 8s. 11d. for No. 2 Red Western, and 10s. 1d.@10s. 2d. for Red Winter. FLOUR, 28s. 6d. ⅌ bbl. for Western. CORN, 35s. 6d. ⅌ qr. OATS, 2s. 6d. BARLEY, 5s. PEAS, 38s. 6d. The total receipts of Wheat at this port the past three days were 20,000 quarters, of which 1,000 were American. PROVISIONS—Pork, 80s. 6d. for Prime Mess. Beef, 112s. 6d. ⅌ tierce of 304 lbs. for Extra Prime Mess. Lard, 72s. ⅌ cwt. Cheese, 67s. ⅌ cwt. BACON, 53s. ⅌ cwt. for Cumberland Cut and 52s. for Short Ribbed Middles. TOBACCO, 67s. 6d. PRODUCE—Common Rosin, 5s.; Pine Rosin, 14s.; Spirits Petroleum, 1s. Refined, 1s. 6d.; Spirits Turpentine, 28s. ⅌ cwt.; Linseed Oil, 32s.; Linseed Cake, £10 10s.

[The closing prices were not received.]

LONDON, Oct. 21—TALLOW, 37s. ⅌ cwt. SUGAR, 23s. 6d. per cwt. for No. 12 Dutch Standard on the spot. Whale Oil, £36 15s. Calcutta Linseed, 58s. 9d.

FRANKFORT, Oct. 21—United States Five-twenty bonds steady at 93½.

DOMESTIC MARKETS.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 21.—RECEIPTS—1,000 bbls. Flour, 26,000 bushels Wheat, 49,000 bushels Corn, 12,000 bushels Oats, 8,000 bushels Barley, 1,000 bushels Rye, 13,000 bushels Wheat, 10,000 bushels Corn, 32,000 bushels Oats, 2,000 bushels Barley, 4,000 bushels Rye. Railroad SHIPMENTS—19,000 bushels Wheat, 2,000 bushels Corn. Canal FREIGHTS advanced; Wheat, 3c.; Corn, 2½c.; Oats, 1c.; Barley, 1½c. to New-York; Wheat, 2½c.; Corn, 1½c.; Oats, 1c. to West Troy or Albany. FLOUR steady; sales, 500 bbls. at range of $4@$4. WHEAT unsettled; sales, 27,000 bushels Green Bay Club at $1 38 ⅌ bushel; 14,000 bushels 3 Milwaukee Club at $1 17; 7,500 bushels White Sample, $1 32. Corn dull and heavy; sales, 13,000 bushels Western at 60c.@72c., quality and location of elevator governing price. OATS dull; sales, 8,000 bushels, in Chicago, No. 2 Western at 40c. RYE dull and nominal at 65c. for Western. BARLEY in good demand; sales, 2,000 bushels Canada, part at 90c. and remainder on private terms; 200 bushels Milwaukee at 87½c. PROVISIONS—Pork, nominally unchanged at $8@$8 50. PORK steady and unchanged. LARD steady and unchanged. HIGHWINES nominal at 90c. The CATTLE market for the week closed higher at a decline of 8c.@10c. from last week's prices, and weak at the decline, the sales only realizing 375 head; 23 Illinois steers, averaging 1,420 lbs., sold at $7 75, and 63 head, averaging 1,075 lbs., brought $7 50; 40 Illinois steers, averaging 1,047 lbs., were sold at $6 75; 100 head Texas, averaging 1,035 lbs., at $5 50, and 20 head Canada at $6 25@$6 50. The receipts for the week were 4,400 head against 7,701 for the previous week. The HOG market closed dull and nominally lower. The demand is from hands. Sales were effected to some extent at yesterday's quotations, but the supply was more liberal than the demand for the market. Receipts of Hogs are fully up to last quotations, but the Fall trade has not yet opened. The sales to-day were 226 head Ohio, $4@$4 25.

CHICAGO, Oct. 21.—EXCHANGE unchanged. FLOUR dull and lower; sales at $4 00@$4 50 for Spring Extras. WHEAT dull and lower; sales at 90c. for No. 2 Spring; afternoon steady. CORN dull and lower; sales at 54½c.@54¾c. for No. 2; afternoon quiet and unchanged. OATS quiet; No. 2 higher; sales at 34½c. for No. 2. RYE steady; No. 2 at 56c. BARLEY dull and lower; sales at 84½c. for No. 2. WHISKY dull and nominal. MESS PORK steady at $8@$8 05, cash; $8 05, seller December. LARD, 7½c.@7¾c., cash and sold. GREEN SHOULDERS, 5c.; REAR RIBS, 7½c. Hogs lower; sales at $7 70@$8 05. CATTLE dull and weak; sales at $3@$4 50. RECEIPTS—7,000 bbls. Flour; 142,000 bushels Wheat; 54,000 bushels Corn; 23,000 bushels Oats; 5,000 bushels Rye; 14,000 bushels Barley; 7,000 Hogs. SHIPMENTS—4,000 bbls. Flour; 142,000 bushels Wheat; 10,000 bushels Corn; 18,000 bushels Oats; 1,000 bushels Rye; 60,000 bushels Barley; 1,000 Hogs. RECEIPTS there easier; to Buffalo, 75,000 bushels Wheat.

OSWEGO, N. Y., Oct. 21.—FLOUR active and unchanged; sales, 2,000 bbls., at $3 25 for No. 1 Spring; $3 75 for Amber Winter; $7 75 for White; $8 for Double Extra. WHEAT quiet and heavy; sales of No. 1 Red Wabash held at $1 30. CORN quiet; sales, 1,000 bushels at 50c. OATS held at 40c. BARLEY for Western. BARLEY inactive; Up-lake Canada held at $1 40@1 60. RYE nominally unchanged. COTTONSEED—Sales of 500 bags, at 19c. ⅌ cwt. MILL-FEED unchanged; Shorts, $12@$13; Shipstuffs, $22@$24; Middlings, $20@$22. ⅌ ton. HIDES—Wet, 23½c.@26c. Canal FREIGHTS are higher and unsettled on Grain; Lumber and Flour. Rates to go to New-York. Railroad FREIGHTS—Flour to Boston, 40c.; to New-York, 40c.; to Albany, 40c.; Grain and Mill-feed to Boston, 40 ⅌; to New-York, 34½c.; to Albany, 34½c. Lumber to Albany, $3 50@$4 50 ⅌ M. Canal EXPORTS—Flour, 1,000 bbls.; Wheat, 120,000 bushels Barley, and 1,000,000 feet Lumber.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 21.—COTTON quiet and unchanged. FLOUR quiet and unchanged. WHEAT dull and drooping. CORN firm, scarce and advancing; Old, more offering; New, 45c.@50c. OATS quiet and unchanged. BARLEY dull and unsettled. RYE quiet and unchanged. WHISKY firmer; Demand light and holders firm; sales at $23. LARD—Demand light, holders firm; sales at 12c. BACON firm, scarce and higher; Shoulders, 14½c.; Sides, 15½c.@15¾c.; Clear Ribs, 17½c.; Clear Sides, 18c.; Sugar-cured Hams, 21c.@22c. Live HOGS quiet and unchanged; sales at $7 70@$8. WHISKY—An advance asked but none established; asking, 90c. Sales.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 21.—COTTON dull and unchanged. FLOUR unchanged. WHEAT active; sales of sample lots No. 3 Red Winter at $1 12@$1 20; No. 1 Red Winter, $1 30. CORN firmer; 50c. for Mixed; 60c. for Choice Yellow; 62c.@65c. for White. OATS firmer; sales at 35c.@36c. BARLEY quiet; choice to extra Spring, 80c.@$1 15. RYE firmer; sales at 60c.@70c. WHISKY steady at 88c. TOBACCO, HEMP and BAGGING steady and unchanged. PORK firmer; sales at $8 00@$8 05. BACON scarce and higher; Shoulders, 13½c.; Clear Sides, 15c.@16c. LARD steady at 16c. CATTLE unchanged. Live HOGS heavy; sales at $7@$8. RECEIPTS, 3,000 bbls. Flour; 8,000 bushels Wheat.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 21.—COTTON firm and unchanged. FLOUR heavy and market